

MASS HUGE ALLIED FORCES

Reports Indicate Gigantic Offensive Across Rhine Near

Russian Forces Smashing Ahead In Upper Silesia

Broken Remnants Of 45,000 Wehrmacht Troops Are Being Pursued

REPORT AT LEAST 30,000 NAZIS KILLED

By NATALIA RENE (U. S. Staff Correspondent)

MOSCOW, March 23.—Soviet forces smashed across the Glatzer Neisse river southwest of the upper Silesian capital of Oppeln today in pursuit of broken remnants of some 45,000 Wehrmacht troops trapped by a mighty new Russian offensive.

The Soviet high command announced that at least 30,000 enemy troops were killed by Marshal Ivan S. Konev's First Ukrainian army which struck south and west of Oppeln in twin drives which carried 25 miles to the southwest. Another 15,000 men were captured.

As Soviet units across the Neisse drove retreating Germans into the Sudeten mountains, other Red army tanks and shock troops struck south across the Czechoslovakian border from the captured junction city of Neustadt, 25 miles southwest of Oppeln.

Mop Up Around Oppeln

Other Soviet troops mopped up the battlefields around Oppeln, scenes of one of the German army's worst defeats on its own soil.

"Apparent purpose of the Soviet drive is to crumble the German line of powerful German fortified lines protecting the approaches to central Czechoslovakia and Prague. The

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PA NEWC Observes

One week from Sunday will be Easter.

Waste paper collection will be made in New Castle tomorrow. Contribute all the paper possible, as it is badly needed in the war effort at the present time. Paper is a vital war necessity.

Heavy snow of yesterday morning did not last long when the spring sun broke through the clouds in the afternoon. Practically all of the snow was gone before evening.

Spring cleanup work around premises in the city has been handicapped so far due to the frequent rain and snow which have kept properties saturated and the ground is soggy.

Large for a lemon is the fruit that was grown on a lemon tree belonging to Miss Mary Tabisz, of 15 Fern street. It weighs one pound, four ounces, and is not the first such giant that she has picked from the tree. One this size is large enough to make six or seven lemon pies, she says. At present the lemon tree has seven blossoms on it but not all of them will likely set fruit. She has had the tree for a number of years.

Answering the query of one of Pa Newc's readers several days ago about the identity of what seemed to be a "white red breast", Mrs. Donald Matthews, wife of the zoology professor at Westminster college, believes that the bird was probably a towhee. A towhee, it seems, is shaped like a robin and acts like a robin. He has a black head and black and white breast, with a streak of "red" down each side. Adding to his wife's explanation, Dr. Matthews said the bird might possibly have been a rose-breasted grosbeak.

Daily Weather Report

United States weather statistics for the 24-hour period ending at 9 a. m. today follow:

Maximum temperature, 48.

Minimum temperature, 30.

No precipitation.

River stage, 12.7 feet.

Statistics for the same date a year ago, follow:

Maximum temperature, 49.

Minimum temperature, 38.

Precipitation, 18 inches.

Rhine Bridgehead 310 Square Miles

WITH THE U. S. FIRST ARMY, March 23.—(INS)—The 31-mile-long First Army bridgehead east of the Rhine at Remagen has been fattened to more than 310 square miles as fresh advances of American troops increased its depths to more than 10 miles, front dispatches disclosed today.

War Fund Drive Will Be Ended Here Saturday

Complete Reports From All Divisions Expected To Show County Has Reached Goal

MANY DIVISIONS NOW OVER THE TOP

With some of the divisions yet to turn in a complete report, the incomplete returns received at yesterday's report meeting by General Chairman J. Lepore Matthews indicated that Lawrence county will attain its goal in the Red Cross war fund drive for \$102,000. Workers were enthusiastic as many divisions reported they were over the top at the meeting held in chapter headquarters, North Beaver street, and will clean up their work so that a final report can be submitted Saturday.

Exceed Quotas
Ellwood City had reported doubling their quota earlier in the week, having secured over \$36,000 against a quota of \$18,000. Divisions which reported yesterday as having exceeded their quota were: women's division, \$14,000 against a quota of \$9,000; business division, \$12,866 against a quota of \$12,600; governmental division, including city and county offices, post office, etc., \$1,100 against a quota of \$800; schools, \$2,411 against a quota of \$2,400; and county exclusive of Ellwood City, \$13,923 against a quota of \$13,600.

When the complete returns are (Continued on Page Two)

Sham Funeral For Nazi Escapes Reported In Use

Reports Also Heard Of Fresh Nazi Peace Offensive Being Imminent

LONDON, March 23.—(INS)—Reports of a fresh Nazi peace offensive, inspired by German Foreign Minister Joachim von Ribbentrop, reached London today, accompanied by a dispatch asserting that many of Hitler's key men are being spirited out of the Reich under cover of sham funerals.

Underground reports seeping out of Denmark declared that Ribbentrop and other German leaders plan to use the Kalundborg radio station in that occupied country to spark a peace offensive directed to Britain and the United States.

Present plans call for the radio talks to begin early next month, these reports said.

Despite the planned peace drive, aimed at winning the best possible surrender terms, high-ranking Nazi officials realize that there is no hope for them in the coming months, a Bern dispatch to the London Express indicated.

The paper reported that many prominent Nazis and German officers are disappearing under cover of fake funerals, turning up later with assumed names in such nations as Spain and Argentina.

Heavy Artillery Resistance By Nazis In Italy

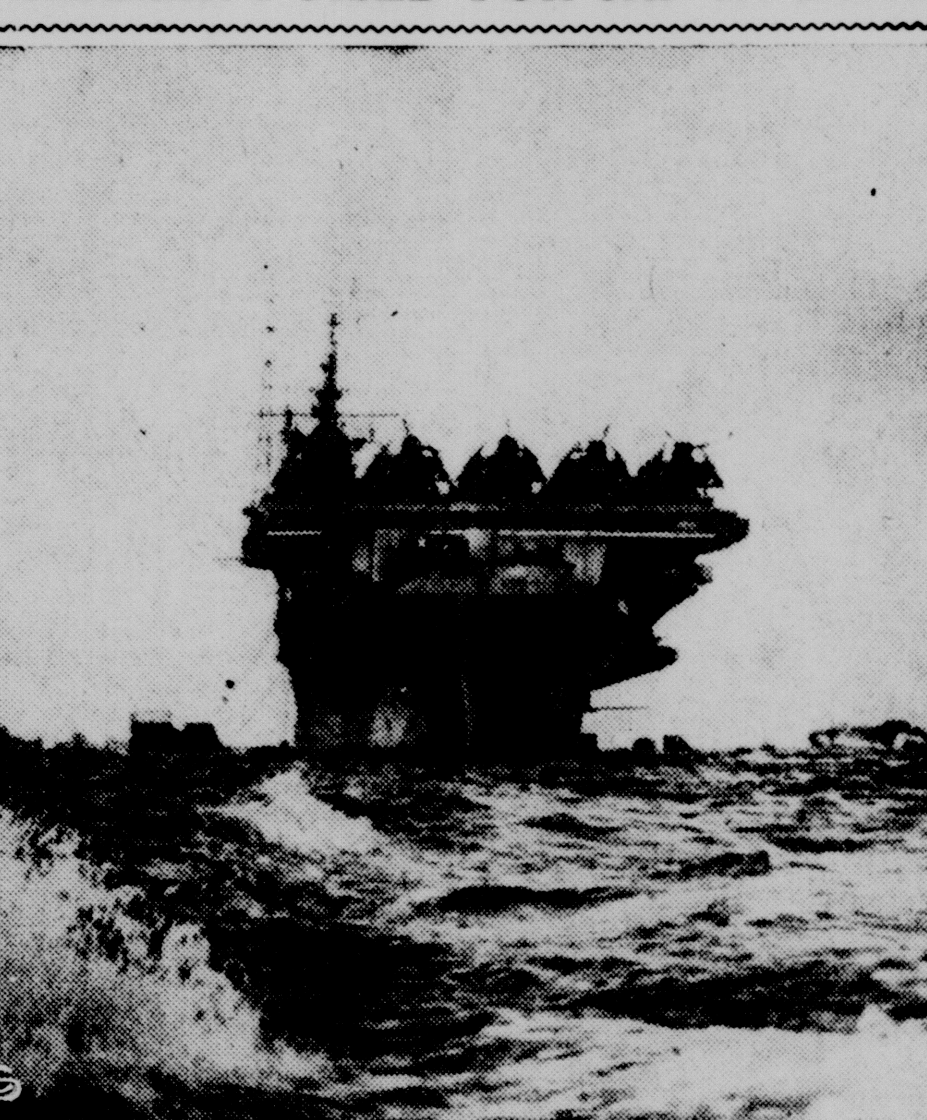
ROME, March 23.—(INS)—American Fifth Army Forces, probing Nazi lines along the western stretches of the Italian front, encountered terrific German artillery and mortar fire. Allied Mediterranean headquarters reported today.

The American staffs followed on the heels of intelligence reports that Nazi Field Marshal Albert Kesselring already had left his Italian command to take charge of German defenses along the western front.

Although there were no immediate reports of his successor, his junior officer in Italy was known to be Marshal Johannes Von Blaskowitz.

Patrol activity flared in eastern Italy where the British Eighth army repulsed a series of Nazi jabs along the Senio river.

CARRIER POISED FOR JAP ATTACK



Just released by the U. S. Navy, this striking photograph shows a Navy plane carrier, with Avengers spotted on her flight deck, resting on Navy missions in the Pacific. Such carriers, with 1400 planes to unleash on Japan's homeland, figured in the series of assaults that began off Kyushu and wound up with the cornering and crippling of the Japanese fleet in the Inland Sea. Official U. S. Navy photo.

Will Collect Paper Here On Saturday

New Castle's waste paper collection takes place tomorrow, Saturday, March 24. Trucks will start at one o'clock in the afternoon to cover the city and by six o'clock it is hoped to have 75 or more tons of waste paper, cardboard, books and wrapping paper loaded into box cars headed for a processing plant.

Tomorrow's waste paper collection is sponsored by the Young Women's Christian Association and the net proceeds, will go to the camp fund of that organization. But the important thing is the paper itself, for it will go to be made into cartons for the transportation of vital war materials.

Paper Still Short
The paper shortage over the country continues. Paper mills are handicapped with manpower shortages, and the only salvation for the situation is the collection of waste paper. This can come only through the co-operation of the citizens.

Trucks for the collection are being secured through the Lawrence County chapter, Pennsylvania Motor Truck Association and while a fair (Continued on Page Two)

Manpower Group Meets Here Today

Local Labor Scarcity Brings Manpower Commission To New Castle

Holding their regular meeting in New Castle this week instead of in Pittsburgh or Greensburg, about 25 representatives of the war manpower commissions and procurement agencies of both Area 8 and Area 7, the Greensburg and Altoona districts, are here today to discuss New Castle's labor shortage with local industrialists, and to consider applications for changes in labor ceilings in about 28 counties of western Pennsylvania.

During the closed session this afternoon, all applications for ceiling changes from western Pennsylvania except Allegheny and Beaver counties are up for consideration, Mr. Murphy said.

Attending the meetings are: Mr. Murphy and Thomas Seda of Area 3; John Martin and Robert Allen of Area 7; John Stevens, district director of the WPB, and John Mahy, also from the Pittsburgh WPB. Daugherty of the Pittsburgh Army Ordnance office; Lt. John Genter of the navy procurement office; George Gettings of the local employment office; and representatives of local war industries and of the Greater New Castle Association.

Huge Preparations In Northern Sector Of Western Front

(BULLETIN)

LONDON, March 23.—(INS)—Allied "build-up" forces in the northern sector of the western front, where the German radio states Field Marshal Sir Bernard L. Montgomery is planning an early all-out offensive, are now a scale comparable to "D-day," the Luxembourg broadcasting station reported today.

Island Invasion In Philippines Being Extended

U. S. Forces Seize Guimaras—Americans Closing In On Last Japs On Luzon

By FRANK ROBERTSON (U. S. Staff Correspondent)

MANILA, March 23.—American forces, seizing the stepping-stone island of Guimaras between Panay and Negros, were in position today for a thrust into the last major Philippine island still unwrested from the Japs.

Gen. Douglas MacArthur revealed that elements of his command, in a shore-to-shore operation, landed on and immediately occupied Guimaras which lies at the southwestern end of the Guimaras strait. This channel separates Panay, on which only "minor" pockets of Jap resistance remained, from Negros.

Negros and Cebu, to the east, are the last two major islands of the archipelago not yet invaded by liberation forces.

Meanwhile, four-motored heavy bombers pounded Japanese positions on Cebu in what had the earmarks of a softening-up operation. Continuing previous assaults, the U. S. heavyweights dropped 214 tons of bombs in three days on enemy bivouac and supply areas around Cebu city.

Blockade Group

Light U. S. Naval units maintained a blockade of the Visayas group of Philippine islands. In this group are Panay, Negros, Cebu and Palawan to the west. While patrolling off Cebu and Palawan at night, PT boats destroyed three enemy barges and a small vessel.

Naval aircraft also turned their attention to that area, swooping down in a rocket attack upon a Jap (Continued on Page Two)

Dies In Electric Chair For Murder Of Nebraska Girl

NEBRASKA STATE PENITENTIARY, LINCOLN, March 23.—(INS)—Joseph T. MacAvoy, 25, a dishonorably discharged soldier from Brooklyn, N. Y., died today in the Nebraska electric chair for the attack-murder of 16-year-old Anna Milroy of Sutton, Neb., Aug. 7, 1943.

Nervous aids assisting in their first execution strapped the Brooklyn killer in the recently remodeled chair of execution at 5:55 a. m. Two shocks were required before he was pronounced dead at 6:01 a. m. It was the first legal execution in Nebraska since 1929.

MacAvoy was sentenced to die in December 1943 but the execution was stayed twice pending appeals to the Nebraska Supreme Court and the U. S. Supreme Court. Both high courts held with the district court.

Rivers Receding At Pittsburgh

PITTSBURGH, March 23.—(INS)—Western Pennsylvania residents were breathing easily again as Pittsburgh's rivers were reported receding after cresting at 241 feet just under the flood level.

The crest, reached last night, came after three days of intermittent rain which changed to snow. Nine inches of snow was reported at Warren, and a three-inch blanket covered Franklin and Parker's Landing.

Pittsburgh's most sought-after man during flood crises, Weatherman W. S. Brotzman, predicted that despite the water-logged ground of the watersheds, the run-off will not cause any appreciable rise in the rivers.

DEATH RECORD

Friday, March 23, 1945

Mrs. Gertrude Brown Anderson, 316 Green street.

Eric Nelson, 77, New Middletown, O., R. D. 1.

Allies' Aims May Be To Prevent Southern Germany Defense Plan

By MAJOR PAUL C. RABORG (Written Especially For I. N. S.)

NEW YORK, March 23.—It has long been believed that when the armies of the allied nations break into the open plains of northern Germany, from both the east and the west, the Nazi army will retire to the mountains of southern Germany, there to fight a last-ditch battle—guerrilla or otherwise.

It is entirely probable that the leaders of the United States, Great Britain and Russia plan to circumvent such a German strategy with allied drives, as soon as possible, into southern Germany from both the east and western fronts.

Mountain Area
In general, the mountains of southern Germany extend northward to an approximately east-west line between Cologne and Dresden. In the very center, the mountains go north of that line in a spearhead for a short distance.

The allied southern armies in the west, commencing from the southern end, are the First French, the Seventh and Third American armies. The Soviet armies at the southern end of the eastern front, (Continued on Page Two)

Ten-Day Prisoner Bag Of 3rd Army Now Over 57,000

Patton's Forces Clear Mainz, Capture Landau And Mop Up In Ludwigshafen

By LARRY NEWMAN (U. S. Staff Correspondent)

WITH THE U. S. THIRD ARMY, March 23.—Lieut. Gen. George S. Patton's hard-driving third army raised its 10-day prisoner bag to more than 57,000 today as it cleared Mainz, captured Landau and mopped up fallen Ludwigshafen.

Three thousand prisoners, including 88 troops reported to have shot their surrendering comrades in the back, were seized by the 90th division, which mopped up Mainz after a stiff two-day fight. Less than 100 houses in the city of 160,000 population were undamaged.

Landau, controlling the major road net leading from the enemy (Continued on Page Two)

Men From City Leave For Camp

Men Summoned For Induction By City Board Two Leave To Begin Duties This Morning

Men who had been summoned for induction by Selective Service Board Two of New Castle, left this morning for their duties in the army, departing on an early train on the Pennsylvania railroad.

At the same time, a larger number than usual who were ordered up for their pre-induction physical examination by County Board Two went to Pittsburgh to take their examinations today. Almost one-fourth of the number were men from the Amish community, who are for the most part conscientious objectors. Those in the group who pass their examinations will likely be placed in duties not in the actual fighting.

No farewell ceremonies were conducted this morning, but the men going into service, were presented with their kits by the ladies from the Lawrence County Service Men's Aid committee of the U. S. O.

Nazis Anticipate New Rhine Attack

LONDON, March 23.—(INS)—A Nazi DNB agency spokesman said today "indications were mounting" that Field Marshal Sir Bernard L. Montgomery would launch an offensive in the "shortest possible time."

Previous reports by the Nazi radio, unconfirmed by allied sources, said Montgomery had launched the offensive on a 60-mile front between Dusseldorf and Arnheim and that the lower Rhine already had been crossed at one point.

STRIKE AT TOWNSEND PLANT
BEAVER FALLS, Pa., March 23.—(INS)—Pickets today closed the Townsend company plant, at Falls-town, where 700 CIO-United Steelworkers were reported striking over a deadlock in contract renewal negotiations.

SEES WAR NEAR END
CAPETOWN, March 23.—(INS)—The end of the European war is "at hand," Prime Minister Jan Smuts told the South African senate today.

Smoke Screen Shields Possible Rhine Activity

Reports From Luxembourg Say Massed Forces Comparable To D-Day Lineup

NO CONFIRMATION THAT DRIVE STARTS

By JAMES L. KILGALLAN (U. S. Staff Correspondent)

PARIS, March 23.—Belgian and German broadcasts flooded the air today with persistent reports of a gigantic new offensive preparation by Allied troops massed in overwhelming strength on the northern reaches of the Rhine.

Berlin itself said that forces of the 21st Army group under command of British Field Marshal Sir Bernard L. Montgomery were operating under cover of a smoke-screen for a fresh thrust across Germany's great river barrier.

Allied headquarters, while silent on the flood of reports, announced that the Tenth Armored Division of Lieut. Gen. George S. Patton's Third Army captured Landau as the Saar pocket dwindled.

Gen. Dwight D. Eisenhower's spokesman announced pointedly:

"The Siegfried line is breaking up."

Mopping Up Operation
In the Saar-Palatinate area, headquarters said, it is now largely a mopping-up operation. The Germans are still trying to cling to the eastern part of the Siegfried line, but except for this sector enemy resistance is slackening and the Third and Seventh armies are closing up to each other.

Landau itself lies only 10 miles from the German Westwall.

Lieut. Gen. George S. Patton's 90th Division, in the course of cleaning up the city of Mainz against resistance from policemen and firefighters dragged into soldiery, took 3,000 prisoners. The Sixth Armored Division of Lieut. Gen. Alexander M. Patch's Seventh Army drove to the northeast and reached the Rhine between Worms and (Continued on Page Two)

Block Attempt Of Nazi E-Boats To Hit Convoy

LONDON, March 23.—(INS)—Combined action by Royal Navy ships, coastal command aircraft and naval planes defeated determined attempts by strong forces of German E-boats to attack an allied convoy Wednesday night. Joint admiralty and air ministry communiques said today.

First contact with the Germans was made by the RAF which sighted several groups of E-boats off the Dutch coast, proceeding in a westerly direction from the Texel and Hook of Holland areas. One E-boat was set on fire and others were damaged.

Arthur Mometer



These are the mornings when Nature's alarm, blares out with the rise of the sun, these are the mornings the birds tra-la-la to announce that the day has begun. And out in the trees there's a whirr and a stir as they tune up their warbling pipes, announcing to humans it's time to get up, no squawking, no grouching, no gripes. Of course they retire before humans today, but when the morn'g breaks clean and fine, the alarm starts off with a bang and the weather is bright, fifty-nine.

Fresh Rumors Of Nazi Peace Feelers Are Being Denied

STOCKHOLM, March 23.—(INS)—Fresh rumors of Nazi peace feelers circulated again in Stockholm today, only to be denied by German-influenced newspapers.

The Swedish-German press service asserted that the rumors were started by a Nazi diplomat's trip from Berlin to Stockholm, allegedly to obtain extra food for his family.

Other reports meanwhile told of mass Nazi evacuations from East Prussia and the loss of valuable liners in the process. An eyewitness reported that the steamship Monte Rosa arrived in Copenhagen recently with 12,000 German refugees from East Prussia after a voyage so jammed that even the lifeboats were occupied.

The German steamer Robert Mueller was said to have sunk when it hit a mine near Gothenburg. Eleven bodies were found and 15 survivors picked up by Swedish fishermen.

Seek To Include France In Parley On Reparations

WASHINGTON, March 23.—(INS)—Efforts to bring France into the Moscow Reparations Commission to consider the war bill which the Nazis must pay were being made today by the British embassy in Washington.

British officials disclosed that even at the Yalta conference they had urged the inclusion of France with the Big Three on the reparations commission. But the proposal was not accepted there.

It has now been renewed, not only to the United States government but also to the Soviet. The British view is that France is more directly concerned with German reparations than any other country except Russia, and that no satisfactory reparations discussion can be had without France participating.

MOVIE STRIKE CONTINUES HOLLYWOOD, March 23.—(INS)—The motion picture strike, nearing the end of its second week, marked time today pending a Washington conference of top union leaders.

NONE SURE

St. Joseph

WORLD'S LARGEST SELLER AT 10¢

ASPIRIN

ALLIES AIMS MAY BE TO PREVENT SOUTHERN NAZI DEFENSE PLAN

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again commencing from the south, are the Third, Second and Fourth Ukrainian armies in the order mentioned.

The Third Ukrainian is driving into Hungary west of Budapest. That army is in the valley of the Danube, which is the best lane of approach to south-central Germany.

In Mountain Pass

The Second Ukrainian is fighting in the Carpathian mountains east of Czechoslovakia. It is aiming at the Morava Pass. In that area, the going is most difficult.

The Fourth Ukrainian army is apparently assaulting westward just to the south of Cracow. It has crossed the Oder river into German Silesia. The pathway of that army is also blocked with mountains.

The First French and the Seventh and Third American armies are attacking the German line from east of Belfort in the south, northward and including the Saar area. All three of those armies will encounter difficult and mountainous country as soon as they cross the Rhine.

May Move Patton

If Gen. Patton's Third Army is still the most mobile of the American armies as it was during its dash across France, the Third might be moved to the northern end of the line to replace one of our armies which has less armor and motorization.

If Hitler believes that he can occupy and hold the southern part of Germany against the United Nations, he had better get his fighting troops out of Italy, Norway and Denmark quickly, or they will be cut off from retreat. And, of course, the same condition applies to his northern garrisons in cities such as Berlin.

WILL COLLECT PAPER HERE ON SATURDAY

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number have been secured there is need for more. Persons interested are asked to call 1905.

There is also a need for men to assist in the loading and to ride the trucks. The work of picking up the paper from the curbs will be done as usual by the Boy Scouts.

Householders are urged to bundle their waste paper, magazines, books, wrapping paper and the like into separate bundles, making sure none of the bundles weigh over 15 pounds. Tie them securely to prevent their breaking open in the handling.

Get your paper bundled tonight. Have it on the curb in front of your home by noon Saturday and if the weather is inclement, put it on the porch or in some sheltered place where it can be seen.

Try The News Want Ads For Results

War Excitement Is High In Paris

Believe Curtains About To Rise On Main Battle For Rhine In Germany

By KINGSBURY SMITH (U.S.S. Staff Correspondent)

PARIS, March 23.—Excitement ran high in Paris today after newspaper headlines declared the curtain was about to rise on the main battle for the Rhine.

French language German radio broadcasts also told Parisians that the Canadian, British and American armies were all ready for the big smash across the historic river.

Massive Allied aerial assaults now under way against the Third Reich were described in French newspapers as a "prelude" to the greatest amphibious military operation Europe has seen since the invasion of Normandy.

There is little doubt in French minds that the roar of thousands of Allied planes and the earthquake explosions of tons of bombs which plague the Germans daily are a belated overture to the final cataclysmic battle of Germany.

The French hope this major battle of the Rhine will be the last great battle Germany can fight in the west during this war. There is an optimistic belief that when Gen. Dwight D. Eisenhower's armies break the symbolic most guarding the Reich's inner fortress, the German armies of the west will disintegrate.

WAR FUND DRIVE WILL BE ENDED HERE SATURDAY

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in from industries, which is expected on Saturday, along with miscellaneous groups yet to be reported.

Chairman Matthews is confident that the quota will be reached, if not exceeded, and has called on all division leaders to try and complete their reports at this time.

The women's division will man booths in the banks and at the bond booth on East Washington street during the remainder of the week, where those who have not been solicited will have an opportunity to give their contributions. These can also be left at the headquarters for the campaign, first floor, Penn. Power company building, it was announced.

BUS TAKES FIRE

City firemen were called to the corner of Mill and Washington streets at 8:30 o'clock this morning, when a leaking carburetor on a bus of the Shenango Valley Transportation company caused a fire about the engine. The fire had been extinguished by the time firemen arrived at the scene.

SMOKE SCREEN SHIELDS POSSIBLE RHINE ACTIVITY

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Mannheim. Forces of the Seventh and Third armies now are "intermingling," headquarters confirmed.

Extend Bridgehead

Extension of the Remagen bridgehead north and south continued with German resistance officially described as "exceedingly light."

American troops pushed to the Sieg river in the north and crossed the Wied on the south along a 14-mile front, capturing half a dozen villages and taking an additional 1,153 prisoners for a total of 47,409 since the Rhine was crossed.

The Luxembourg radio said that the Allied "build-up" of troops in the West sector of Holland on the west bank of the Rhine was comparable to the massing of forces on D-Day, when more than a million American, British and Canadian troops stormed ashore on the coast of Normandy.

Paris newspapers published entirely unconfirmed reports that the push across the northern Rhine already had begun and also said that United States First Army troops had captured Sieburg at the northern end of the Remagen bridgehead at the commencement of an attack upon the Ruhr from the south.

Reports Conflict

Four Allied armies massed their forces for a drive against the German Ruhr today amid conflicting German radio reports.

Field Marshal Sir Bernard L. Montgomery already had launched an offensive and had crossed the lower Rhine.

A subsequent dispatch by the Nazi DNB agency however made no mention of the previous report the offensive had started, saying only that there were increasing indications Montgomery's drive would get under way in the "shortest possible time."

There was no confirmation from Allied sources that such an offensive was under way but front dispatches reported that a security blackout had been dropped over most of British and Canadian activities and that a blanket of artificial fog along a 40-mile stretch of the Rhine was obscuring the enemy's observation of the 21st Army Group's activities.

First Drives Northward

Meanwhile the U. S. First Army surged northward in its Remagen bridgehead for gains of two miles in a renewed attack against the lower defenses of the Ruhr and to the south made new gains of five miles and crashed into Neuwied where heavy fighting is in progress.

Further north the U. S. Ninth British Second and Canadian First armies were known to have massed men and materials for the coming drive across the lower Rhine. The Germans also reported that the new U. S. 16th and the Allied airborne armies were included in the Allied plans for the coming drive.

In the south the rampaging Third and Seventh armies in the Saar captured a Nazi pocket in the Saar Palatinate to an average width of five miles as the Nazis battled desperately to keep their one remaining escape route across the Rhine open.

10,020 Prisoners Yesterday

The Third Army processed 10,020 prisoners yesterday, bringing the official count for the first ten days of its offensive to 57,005. However estimates from Allied supreme headquarters said the total figure would be nearer 80,000 which, with an estimated 20,000 captives seized by the Seventh, would bring German losses in the Saar to around 100,000.

While Lieut. Gen. George S. Patton's forces closed in from the north, Lieut. Gen. Alexander M. Patch's Seventh captured the town of Pirmasens with a pre-war population of 48,000 and liberated between 6,000 and 8,000 French, Czech, Russian and Polish conscripted "slave" workers the Nazis were forced to leave behind in their flight.

Extend Bridgehead

The First Army's advance toward the Ruhr from the south and gains in the southern sector of the Remagen bridgehead fattened the American bulge east of the Rhine to 31 miles in length and nine miles in depth—a total of 279 square miles.

Although confirmation of a new strike by Montgomery was lacking, at least four armies have mounted a huge thrust against the rich Ruhr valley which front reports declare has been virtually isolated from the rest of the Reich in the vast operations of Allied air forces opening an invasion highway.

At least 3,500 Allied sorties roared over the Ruhr valley yesterday when the U. S. 8th Air Force alone sent a fleet of 1,300 Flying Fortresses and Liberators to rip new gaps in the battered German communications system.

ARGENTINA TO WAR ON JAPS?

LONDON, March 23.—(INS)—Reuters news agency today reported that, according to rumors reaching Montevideo, Argentina is considering a declaration of war against Japan, but not against Germany since that country is virtually defeated.

Deaths of the Day

Mrs. Gertrude B. Anderson.

Mrs. Gertrude Brown Anderson of 316 Green street, died Thursday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock at her home as the result of a long illness due to complications.

Mrs. Anderson, daughter of the late Rev. Cyrus Brown and Rebecca Brown, was born in Middletown, Pa. She had been a member of the Bethel A. M. E. church, New Castle, for the past 30 years.

Survivors include a sister, Mrs. Sadie Overton, of McDonald, Pa.; three grandsons, Pressley Sluby, of Canonsburg, Pa., Thomas Ashbury serving with the U. S. Army, and Fred Catlin, of New Castle, with whom she made her home; and five great-grandchildren.

The body was removed to the Crunkleton funeral home and has been sent to the Speakman funeral home, Houston, Pa., where friends are being received until noon Sunday.

Funeral services will be conducted Sunday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock from the Payne A. M. E. church, Canonsburg, with Rev. J. G. Williams officiating.

Interment will take place in a Canonsburg cemetery.

Eric Nelson

Eric Nelson, aged 77 years, of New Middletown, O. R. D. 1, died in his home Thursday evening at 9:40 o'clock following an illness of two years.

He was born in Sweden December 25, 1867, son of Eric and Nedra Nelson. He lived in the community for 50 years and was a farmer by occupation. He was married to Mrs. Johanna Amelia Johnson Nelson. The deceased was a member of the Bessemer First Presbyterian church and a charter member of the S. F. A.

In addition to his wife, Mrs. Amelia Nelson, he leaves the following children: Mrs. Jennie Tennis of Bessemer, Carl Nelson of Warren, Pa., Mrs. Anna Carlson of Youngstown, Nels Nelson of this city, Gordon Nelson, Kittanning; a brother, Carl William Nelson, South Dakota, and a sister, Mrs. A. S. Allen, Nelson, died in December 1913.

Funeral services will be Sunday at 2:30 p. m., E. W. T. from the Cunningham funeral home, Bessemer. Rev. W. J. Engle and Rev. E. C. Crabb in charge.

Interment will be in Forest Lawn cemetery, Youngstown, O. Friends may call at the funeral home Friday and Saturday 7 to 9 p. m.

Leslie Funeral

Funeral services for George Ernest Leslie of 412 Riverside avenue, conducted Thursday afternoon at 2 o'clock from the Jos. S. Rice company chapel, East North street, with Dr. R. Meade Patterson officiating.

Raymond Slack, A. W. William and Arthur Leslie, nephews of the deceased, acted as pallbearers.

Interment took place in Oak Park cemetery.

Mrs. Wetzell Funeral

Funeral services for Mrs. Roberta Wetzell, who died Wednesday, March 14, were held in the late residence in New Bedford on Saturday afternoon, March 17, with a large number of neighbors and relatives attending. Rev. A. D. Anderson, pastor of the New Bedford Presbyterian church, was in charge.

Pallbearers, all of whom were nephews of Mrs. Wetzell, were: Joseph Adams, William Adams and Lynn Irwin, all of New Castle; Charles Knorr of Washington, D. C.; Robert Wetzel of Butler, and C. J. Fanning of Pittsburgh.

Burial was in the New Bedford cemetery.

Pitts Funeral

Funeral services for William O. Pitts of Mt. Jackson were conducted Thursday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock from the Mt. Jackson U. P. church, with Rev. James A. Crawford, pastor of the church, officiating. He was assisted by Rev. J. H. McCauslin of Bethel U. P. church.

The services were largely attended.

Floyd Walker, Judd Lamsen, Whan Hopper, James Stevenson, William Dice and William Patterson acted as pallbearers.

Mrs. Black Funeral

High mass of requiem for Mrs. Mary Black of Meadville, formerly Volant, was offered Thursday morning at 10 o'clock in St. Mary's church, New Castle, with Rev. Fr. Francis McCarter as celebrant.

Homer Cameron, Neil Campbell, Raymond McFarland, Earl McBride, Ernest Lees and Francis Black acted as pallbearers.

Rev. Fr. McCarter conducted the committal service at the grave in St. Mary's cemetery.

Macridakis Funeral

Funeral services for John Macridakis of 212 Wood street, Ellwood City, were held Thursday at 2 p. m. from the Garity funeral home, 100 Second street, Rev. H. C. Jacobs, of the Free Methodist church in charge.

Two singers at the services were: Mrs. George Dunzeith and Mrs. Loyal Martin.

Greek rites were conducted later with Rev. Anthimos Konstantinides of St. George's church, this city, in charge.

Pallbearers were: Steve Orphanos, Toonios Vogiatzis, George Zangus, William Columbus, Kostas Kokos, and Sam Sanders.

Interment was in Locust Grove cemetery.

Terreri Funeral

Solemn high mass of requiem for Frank Terreri of 801 Pollock avenue, was offered this morning at 9:00 o'clock in St. Vitus church.

Rev. Fr. Nicholas DeMita was celebrant. Rev. Fr. Albert M. Inteso, deacon, and Rev. Fr. Sebastian Ippolito was sub-deacon.

Pallbearers were John Ambrose, John Volpe, Frank Maciarella, Tom Maciarella, Paul LaScola and John DeBono.

Interment was in St. Vitus cemetery with Fr. Inteso conducting the committal service at the grave.

In Memoriam

In loving memory of our husband and father, Harry E. Confer, who passed away one year ago today, March 23, 1944.

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Pfc. C. N. Patterson Is Killed In Action

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Local Man Serving With Anti-Tank Outfit When He Meets Death In Germany

Pfc. Clyde N. Patterson, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Patterson, of R. D. 5, was killed in action in Germany on March 6, according to a War Department message received by his parents.

Pfc. Patterson entered service on March 13, 1944, and went overseas in January, serving with an anti-tank unit of an infantry division. He had attended East Brook high school.

Surviving are his parents, three sisters and three brothers. One brother, Samuel, is in the Navy, stationed in California.

ISLAND INVASION IN PHILIPPINES BEING EXTENDED

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submarine anchored off Cebu city. The enemy underwater craft was destroyed, MacArthur announced.

While these blows were being dealt the Japs in the Visayas, other MacArthur forces were applying a pincers to Baguio, summer capital of the Philippines and reportedly the site of Nipponese Gen. Tomoyuki Yamashita's headquarters during the early phases of the Luzon battle.

Elsewhere on Luzon, 43rd division troops pushed into the Bosesoso river valley near Mt. Quirago and Mt. Tanuan, and Sixth division elements reduced Jap positions on Mt. Bayangan. Southeast of Lake Taal, the 158th regimental combat team entered Cuenca and cut the road east of the town.

Some of the descendants of the original Aztecs still live in the outlying villages in the neighborhood of Mexico City.

RUSSIAN FORCES SMASHING AHEAD IN UPPER SILESIA

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Moravsko-Ostrava anchor of this line has been outflanked from the northwest.

At the same time, Soviet forces smashing through the Carpathians toward the key railway junction of Zilina swept up more than 40 places north and northeast of Zvolen. Zilina commands the railway line running northwest to the Morava gap and southwest of Bratislava.

Rout German Units

And on a little-known front, the Drava river, marking the Yugoslav-Hungarian frontier, Russian Bulgarian and Yugoslav forces routed German units which had forced the water barrier at two points northwest of Osijek, 20 miles south of the Hungarian frontier.

At Moscow sources predicted resumption of Marshal Gregory K. Zhukov's central drive toward Berlin from Oder river positions east of the capital. Red forces drove to within two and one-half miles of the Baltic port of Gdynia.

Other Red army units slashed at remnants of German defenders trapped against the shores of the Frisches Haff (lagoon) in East Prussia, 28 miles southwest of Koenigsberg. In the Danzig area to the west, several more inhabited localities fell to the Red army.

TEN-DAY PRISONER BAG OF 3RD ARMY NOW OVER 57,000

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pocket, fell to the 10th armored division fighting to close the last escape routes remaining to the enemy west of Karlsruhe.

Much Equipment Taken

The 10th, advancing eight miles southeast, reached the vicinity of Speyer. Along a seven-mile stretch of escape highway near Bad Dürkheim, the 10th destroyed or captured 300 German vehicles, captured 500 horses, destroyed five tanks, 24 artillery pieces and took 3,000 prisoners.

Since Feb. 23, Patton's ground forces have destroyed 144 German tanks which have been retrieved by our ordnance forces. They also have knocked out 297 Nazi artillery pieces, 1621 motor vehicles and captured 17,042 tons of ammunition.

Air Force Aids

The U. S. 19th tactical air forces which have contributed so much to the Nazi rout with the constant pounding of escape highways, reported the destruction of 4,927 vehicles while another 2,613 were damaged.

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Ritz Club

Members of the Ritz club met Thursday evening with Mrs. Curtis Guckert, South Beaver street. Confests were played, high score prizes going to Mrs. James Bongiorno and Mrs. Fred Farnoe. A dainty lunch was served by the hostess, Mrs. James Barlett, assisted by Mrs. Alex Vertica was special guest. April 4 is the meeting with Mrs. Anthony Panella of Bank street.

Westminster Guild

Westminster Guild of the Central Presbyterian church met Thursday evening in the church parlors. Miss Jean Hart was hostess and led discussion of the study topic. Miss Shirley Gaston led devotionals. A buffet lunch was served by the hostess and a committee. The guild will meet with Miss Elizabeth Jenkins, Delaware avenue, on April 26.

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GARDEN CLUBS

PLAN DISPLAYS

At a meeting of presidents and representatives of the garden clubs of Lawrence county Thursday afternoon in the garden center of the public library, plans were outlined for activities for the coming season. Mrs. Robert W. Lamore, president of the Lawrence County Garden club, presided.

Beginning in April, the various clubs will be responsible for flower displays at the garden center. These will be arranged by each club in turn for a month at a time.

East Side Garden club will sponsor the displays of seasonal flowers in bloom during April.

The group also decided that all officers of all participating clubs will meet for a luncheon at The Castleton on Thursday, May 24, and elect officers. Mrs. R. R. Kylander is chairman of arrangements.

Looking ahead to October, the group plans a joint meeting of all garden clubs for which an out-of-town speaker will be secured.

BABY SHOWER GIVEN

BY T. E. D. MEMBERS

Members of the T. E. D. club, who were entertained Thursday evening by Miss Esther Brundert, R. D. 4, as a surprise, presented one of their number, Mr. Charles E. Key, with a shower of gifts for her new daughter.

Mrs. Key received an array of lovely and useful gifts on behalf of three-week old Charlene Marie. The shower gifts were appropriately presented in a basket.

Cards were a pastime later with prizes going to Mrs. Edwin Hoyard, Mrs. Fred Brundert, and Mrs. Herman Reinhardt.

Dado-Blaney

Mr. and Mrs. John Dado, of 1211 Cascade street, announce the marriage of their daughter, Julia Dado, to Pfc. Paul P. Blaney, of Brownfield, at a candlelight ceremony performed at the Ukrainian Holy Trinity church, Rose avenue, on March 17, with Rev. Stephen Musychuk officiating. The double ring ceremony was performed at 7:30 o'clock.

Miss Sue Dado was her sister's attendant and Michael Sabelli served as best man.

Following the ceremony a reception for 30 guests was held at the home of the bride's parents.

Mrs. Blaney will continue to make her home here for the present. She is employed at the National Radiator Company. Pfc. Blaney has returned to Fort Jackson, S. C.

D. D. D. Club

D. D. D. club members were entertained Thursday evening in the home of Mrs. Charles Russell of North Mill street.

Cards were in play, with Mrs. Herbert Ridgely and Mrs. Tracon Aldan capturing trophies. Mrs. James Lutton and Mrs. William Speer shared as special guests. A lunch was served by the hostess, aided by her mother, Mrs. Charles Lutton.

Mrs. John Thompson of Bepoklyn avenue will be hostess at the next meeting, on April 5.

E. L. V. Club

E. L. V. club members met at the Elks club Thursday afternoon for their weekly session of cards. Three tables of 500 were in play with trophies being captured by Mrs. Jess Dufford, Mrs. C. H. Buell and Mrs. F. E. Uley.

Next meeting will be March 29, at the same place.

Mrs. George Hahn Attendant Mrs. Don M. McCoy, nee Norene Adell Buchanan, was attended by her sister, Mrs. George Hahn, as maid of honor at the wedding ceremony held Wednesday evening at the Third U. P. church. Mrs. Hahn was formerly Betty Jane Buchanan.

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MARIETTA STRIZZI

BRIDE OF R. A. RUSSO

One of the loveliest of early spring weddings was solemnized Thursday morning in St. Vitus church, uniting in marriage, Miss Marietta Strizzi, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Strizzi, of 507 Pearson street, and Pfc. Ralph A. Russo, son of Mr. and Mrs. Nick Russo, of 512 Pearson street.

Vows were exchanged by the young couple at 9:30 o'clock, with Rev. Fr. Albert M. Inteso, officiating and using the single ring service. Friends and relatives attended the ceremony.

After marriage by her father, the bride wore a lovely in an ivory satin gown, princess style, ruffled with gathered bodice, yoke of seed pearls and leg of mutton sleeves. Her long net veil was caught in a cap of seed pearls, and she carried an arm bouquet of calla lilies centered with a white orchid. As her only jewelry she wore a gold cross a gift from the bridegroom.

Miss Viola DiCola, as maid of honor, wore a pink net gown, with high neckline and full skirt. She carried yellow Johanna Hill roses, and also had fresh flowers in her hair.

Bridesmaids were: Lena D'Alena, Anna Turco, Lillian Perilli and Lucille Cennamo, all wearing cornflower blue gowns of taffeta and carrying pink roses.

Alfred Cascavilla served as best man, Usher were: Mike Carbone, Ronald DeFiore, Joseph Fava and Nick Russo, Jr.

Following a wedding breakfast at the Russo residence, a wedding dinner was served in a downtown dining room to approximately 75 guests. Thursday evening a reception was held at the Sons of Italy hall, for friends and relatives.

Pfc. and Mrs. Russo departed for Chicago on a wedding trip. Pfc. Russo will depart later for the convalescent hospital at Camp Pickett, Va. He returned on March 1, from 30 months of service in Europe, and was wounded while in combat. He has been in service for the past three years and 10 months, and previously had been employed at the Radiator works.

Mrs. Russo was employed at the Ordnance department of the United Engineering company.

Out-of-town guests were: Mr. and Mrs. Ezio DeCola and family, Kent O. Domick Tools and daughters of Swissvale; Mr. and Mrs. Carmen Tools; and Mrs. Lucy Cennamo, of Rankin, Pa.

J. F. F. CLUB HAS EVENING BRIDGE

J. F. F. club members met Thursday evening with Mrs. Harold McCartney, West Garfield avenue, for bridge. Three tables were in play.

Prizes were awarded to Mrs. Bradley McGonigle and Mrs. Edward P. Hite. Mrs. Vincent Thomas, a special guest, held the gallop at the close of play. Other special guests were Mrs. Wayne Hart, Mrs. Michael Duffley, Mrs. Raymond McCartney, who was presented with the guest prize, and Mrs. John Duffley, of Bridgeport, W. Va.

A lunch was served at the close of play.

Lo Cour Chee Club

Mrs. Oliver West, of Martin street, was hostess Thursday evening at her home to members of the Lo Cour Chee club.

Five hundred was in play, with trophies being captured by Mrs. Earl White, Mrs. Gladys McClurg and Mrs. George Filer.

Mrs. McKelvey Porter and Mrs. Arthur Gallagher shared as special guests.

Lunch was served by the hostess, aided by Mrs. Porter.

Next meeting will be April 5, at the home of Mrs. George Filer, of Cleveland avenue.

Reunited Ladies League

Mrs. Edward Campbell was hostess Thursday evening to the Reunited Ladies league at the home of Mrs. William Houston of Winslow avenue.

Games were the main diversion of the evening, with prizes being captured by Mrs. Bessie Straight, Mrs. C. M. Shuler and Mrs. Anna Richards. Mrs. Herman Kuder received the door prize.

Lunch was served by the hostess, aided by Miss Margaret Houston. Next meeting will be in two weeks.

G. W. C. Kensington

G. W. C. Kensington met with Mrs. James Patterson, South Ray street, on Thursday afternoon.

A social time was enjoyed with delicious refreshments served. Mrs. Lenora Moore of South Bend, Ind., was a special guest.

The Kensington will meet in two weeks with Mrs. C. E. Patterson of Chestnut street.

G. I. Wives Club

Mrs. L. H. Kuder was hostess to members of the G. I. Wives club on Wednesday evening, March 21. After an evening of cards, refreshments were served by Mrs. Kuder, assisted by Mrs. George Harper. Mrs. Kuder's husband is with the Army in Germany.

The next meeting will be on April 4 at the home of Mrs. L. W. Cody Jr.

DINNER PARTY GIVEN
MERCHANT MARINES

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Perry, of Wilson avenue, entertained at a dinner for William Hogue, of 627 East Washington street, and his friend Arthur Davidson of Avalon, Pittsburgh, when both young men are attached to the Merchant Marine service, and have left for New York for further assignment. Miss Ann Hitchen and Miss Delores Perry assisted in serving.

William Hogue has been visiting during his 30 days leave, with his grandmother, Mrs. Florence Hogue and uncle Charles Hogue, of 627 East Washington street.

A special guest was Cpl. Riley C. Burk of Camp Bowie, Texas, who has been spending his furlough at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Jones of 417 Waldo street.

V-44 CLUB HONOR MEMBERS' BIRTHDAYS

Members of the V-44 club were honored on their anniversaries and birthdays, when they met Thursday evening with Mrs. Amelia Tomasello, South Ray street.

Big sister gifts were received by Mrs. Lawrence LaScola on her birthday; Mrs. Amelio Tomasello on her birthday and anniversary and Mrs. Augustine Guriolo on her birthday.

Card playing was the pastime, high score prize going to Mrs. Joseph LaScola.

Mrs. Nunzio Fiala attended as a special guest, and she assisted the hostess in serving a tasty lunch. April 5 is the meeting with Mrs. Joseph LaScola, East Washington street.

Stay-Awhile Club

Stay-Awhile club members were entertained Thursday evening at the home of Mrs. Charles Carran, of 1320 Croton avenue.

Various games were diversions of the evening, with prizes being awarded to Mrs. Florence Cepro and Miss Norma Claude.

Door prizes were received by Mrs. Sam Delone and Miss Carol Elaine Pia. Mrs. Tony Pia and daughter, Carol, shared as special guests.

Lunch was served by the hostess, aided by Miss Betty Pia.

Next meeting will be at the home of Miss Pearl Masone, of 211 Wabash avenue.

American Home Watchmen

American Home Watchmen met in the lodge rooms, McGowan hall, on a recent evening. A letter of appreciation was received from the Red Cross for the donation given by the lodge.

The anniversary dinner will be held at the first meeting in May, it was announced. Later, cards and games were in play with prizes going to Mrs. A. G. Skundor, Mrs. Irene Case, Mrs. George Nolte and Mrs. Amanda Bollinger.

A lunch was served by Mrs. Mary Osler and a committee.

Next meeting will be April 3 with Mrs. Herman Kuder, chairman of arrangements.

Junior Miss Club

Miss Shirley Panella was a charming hostess Thursday evening to members of the Junior Miss club at her home, Huey street.

Dancing and games were pastimes, high score prizes going to Joan and Lucille Cuscino and Nancy Moore. Special guest attending was the hostess' grandmother, Mrs. P. A. Micco.

At a later hour, the hostess' mother, Mrs. Joseph Panella, served a dainty lunch, assisted by Emmy Lou Micco, and Grace Micco. April 5 is the meeting with Betty Krah, East Washington street.

L. O. L. No. 129

Members of the L. O. L. No. 129 will have their regular meeting Friday evening in the Nesimeck club rooms, and afterwards a social time will be held for members and friends.

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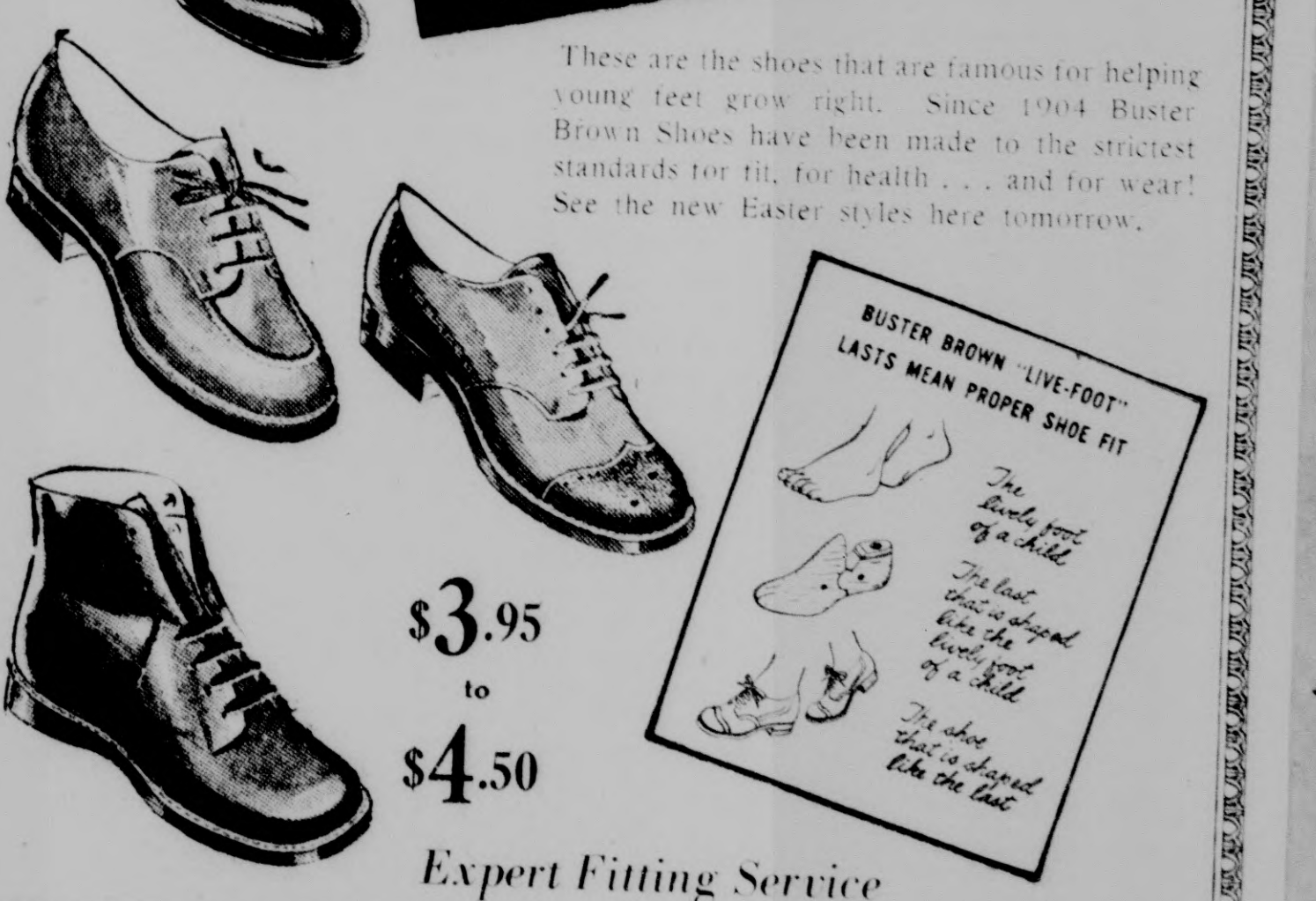
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Jap Guessing Game

Chinese army spokesmen report that the Japanese are rushing the construction of defenses along the China coast and pouring troops into possible Allied invasion areas. This can be regarded as all to the good from an Allied point of view.

The Chinese say that fortifications have been erected in the Shanghai-Hangchow-Ningpo area, the Hongkong-Canton area and the Foochow area, that 150,000 troops have been massed in the Shanghai area and thousands of others sent to the northern French Indo-China region, also picked by the Japanese as a likely place for an Allied attack.

Militarily there is every reason for the Japanese to prepare for the expected Allied invasion of the Asiatic mainland. But it is necessary to effect preparations on a vast scale to keep weak spots to a minimum. This requires the use of great numbers of laborers and troops and great quantities of supplies. It puts additional strain on Japanese submarine supply lines, already suffering from Allied submarine and air attack.

And when the job is completed, if it ever is, the Japanese will have no assurance that they have done the right thing. Defending the whole China coast is a mighty undertaking—especially in view of the fact the Japanese aren't certain the Allies intend to invade it or where they will invade if they do.

Furthermore, the Japanese have been outwitted consistently whenever the Allies have had reasonable freedom of choice in invasion operations. And they have no assurance they will not be outwitted again, no matter how they spread their defenses and their manpower.

Smash Jap Fleet At Home

When Admiral Mitscher's daring carrier planes caught the main Japanese fleet at its home base in the Inland Sea and severely pummeled a number of its principal units, they helped to speed final victory.

Rear Admiral Ramsey, chief of the Bureau of Aeronautics, has said that the war of naval aviation in the Pacific is in its last phase but that fighting won't be over until the Jap fleet is put out of commission.

Toward that desirable goal Admiral Mitscher's great task force accomplished a good deal by tracking Tokyo's surface ships right to their home waters and dealing them a hard blow, incidentally downing hundreds of enemy planes. The Japanese Navy knows now, just as the heads of Japan's bombed war industries know, that there can be no escape from the coming catastrophe.

The attack on the enemy's main fleet follows closely upon capture of Iwo Jima by American Marines and the fire-blasting of Japan's chief cities by huge forces of B-29's. According to Premier Koiso, the loss of Iwo "is the most unfortunate thing in the whole war situation." It is just possible that Koiso hasn't seen anything yet.

The Japs undoubtedly have been nursing and sheltering their fleet against the critical moment when the United States will launch its all-out stroke against the home islands. Will there be much of a Jap fleet when that time comes? Not if Admiral Mitscher's men have their way.

It is to be noted that Premier Koiso is now saying: "There will be no unconditional surrender." The mere fact that he's denying the possibility of unconditional surrender is a good sign. But whether the Jap fleet is knocked out this year or next, the Jap America has to do to keep on pushing, fighting, working, until Japan is totally defeated.

Isolated Enemies

Fanatical resistance to superior force often has been an accompaniment of human struggle, but never has it had so strange an aftermath as is to be observed in the conflicts with Germany and Japan. Resistance has continued after the main course of battle has advanced beyond it, leaving it isolated.

This is apparent in the report that 90 divisions of Germans—more than are fighting on the Western Front—are holed in and maintaining islands of resistance far from the main fronts. There are 25 divisions of Nazis in Latvia, East Pomerania, East Prussia and the Danzig corridor hold 20 divisions, Norway 15 divisions, Italy 25 divisions, Yugoslavia 10 divisions and the French west coast and Channel Islands three divisions.

A numerical account of Japs left behind the fury of fighting in the Pacific has not been made, but the same situation is found there. In the Solomons, New Guinea and the Bismarck archipelago many thousands of enemy troops are isolated and Australian forces are now engaged in cleaning them out in a tedious and undramatic operation.

When the main Nazi armies are crushed on the plains of northern Germany, all the isolated German divisions will become independent commands and as such are likely to surrender. Will the isolated Japs do likewise? If they do not, their nuisance value, marooned on islands and cut off from the world, will not be great.

Peace Rumors

Reports of German peace overtures are signs the enemy is at last beginning to view the situation as hopeless. Such gestures usually precede surrender by weeks or months if the defeated forces can hold out that long. With great Allied armies moving in from many directions, with cities and the remaining war facilities being blasted relentlessly from the air, Germany is learning at last what total war is like.

The Allied high command repeatedly has stated its position. Nothing short of unconditional surrender will initiate peace negotiations. No Allied capital is interested in proposals which come from an unofficial source. There are accounts to be settled with Nazi war criminals before the conflict can be considered ended.

But the Hitler crowd, if convinced its cause is lost, is apprehensive about what is in store for its collective neck. Each day brings the end of Nazism that much nearer. But before the total defeat of Germany there will be many peace rumors.

Raw Materials

The postwar situation is destined to be complicated by the problem of raw materials. Staples which are being conserved to avoid a scarcity during wartime may become too plentiful in days of peace. This might have a depressing effect on prices and on imports.

The United States, at the Mexico City conference, tacitly promised Latin-American nations that postwar stockpiles of raw materials would be disposed of in a manner that would not be inimical to their interests. The Army and Navy munitions board is reported to favor freeing all surpluses left on hand when peace comes. As for oil, there is advocacy that 1,000,000,000 barrels be imported, to be held as a future reserve.

Supplies of raw materials have been obtained at the cost of depleted reserves. For this reason future production will entail higher price levels, because of inaccessibility. It's a problem that will be solved more quickly if the law of supply and demand replaces government controls and directives.

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WASHINGTON CALLING

by MARQUIS CHILDS

Swift Transitions
On War Front Tour

PARIS, March 23.—In the course of a quick trip through war areas, you make extraordinarily swift transitions. Now that my own tour is almost ended, I have a curious sense of having seen a film run at double quick.

I have a memory of early morning in Rome, with the glow of the sunrise in the Piazza d'Espresso. I had breakfast in Naples, forty minutes away by air, and an early lunch in Belgrade. When I left Naples to return to the Western Front, I had dinner in Paris and, the following evening, I was in Cologne, which had then been occupied for only three days.

Such swift transitions are possible because of the extensive facilities provided for those who write and broadcast about the war. My experience—and it is not exceptional—has been that the Army and the Air Forces go to great lengths to make it possible for correspondents to see the war at first hand. Never before was there such a determined effort to insure first-hand reporting on the course of the conflict.

Public relations officers operate everywhere to help correspondents and broadcasters. There is not an easy job. Often we are difficult and demanding—and yes, temperamental.

Like More Active Part

Moreover, many public relations officers get a feeling of frustration in their job. Often they would like a more active part in the war, and resent having to chaperon correspondents. But in the Army, you do the job assigned to you.

Here in Paris, the Hotel Scribe, just off the Place de l'Opera, has been turned over to correspondents and, whenever possible, the war is brought to them. That is to say, officers with special knowledge come from SHAEP to brief them on the latest developments. Information officers are available at the Hotel Scribe at all times to run down even the smallest facts sought by correspondents.

Many correspondents, of course, are permanently assigned to various armies and division headquarters. But others, who live at the Scribe, have frequent opportunities to get out on special trips into the field, and they can make such opportunities if their desire to have a first-hand look is strong enough.

Faults of the public relations system grow out of the very nature of the system. Intense competitiveness between branches of the service and between units within the various branches sometimes leads to over-emphasis on one phase of the war or another. If a public relations officer is particularly ambitious and aggressive or if a commander is overzealous for publicity, the result may be a disproportionate share of news coming out of this particular theater.

The system tends, too, to cloak mistakes made by higher-ups. And it tends to make supermen out of individuals who, in many instances, are just ordinary mortals doing the best they can in the face of the tremendous demands of the hour.

Serious Criticism
The most serious criticism of the system came at the time of the enemy break-through in Ardennes. Correspondents stationed in Europe helped back unnecessarily, implying that there was a cover-up for our failure to anticipate the Germans' surprise attack.

Stephen Early, President Roosevelt's press secretary, has just completed a survey of the public relations set-up here. One of his changes likely to come out of his recommendations is that, when it is impossible for reasons of military security to give out news, an official statement will be issued, telling why it is impossible.

The public relations system of the Army has created in order to get the story to the way to the American public as fully and as quickly as possible. But in this theater, it takes too little account of the relationship between the French—the civil population and the French army—and our own military. That, in the opinion of observers with a long background here, is a weakness. It tends to create a special, isolated world of the Army, quite detached from France and the French.

It is easy to see how misunderstandings can grow out of such a situation. To the French people, it often seems that the most elementary needs—to sustain life, to self—are ignored. To our military leaders, dealing with the urgent demands of an all-devouring war, it sometimes seems that the French deliberately try to put obstacles in their way.

Quite apart from the actual problem of bringing in greater supplies for the civil population, there must be some way to promote better understanding on both sides. This is a public relations job in its broadest sense and one which is essential to postwar co-operation in Europe.

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Words Of Wisdom

Try to be happy in this very present moment; and put not off being so to a time to come; as though that time should be of another make from this, which is already come, and is ours.—Fuller.

People who persist in talking during a play, concert or moving picture, are rude. Those seated near them may ask an usher to request them to be silent.

Hints On Etiquette

We are giving other countries "only" 85,000,000 cigarettes a week—which seems a lot of smokes if you can't find any.

Story told at a bankers' convention many years ago:
A wealthy banker posed for a portrait of himself, to be hung in his office. The picture when finished showed him standing in a dignified

The Toonerville Trolley

By FONTAINE FOX

ONLY A MINUTE! I PROMISED THE SIMPSON KID'S MA I'D STOP AND SEE IF THIS WAS WHERE HE LEFT HIS OVERCOAT!



HINTS AND DINTS

Sun sets tonight 7:14. Sun rises tomorrow 7:00.

The proper way to celebrate the ending of the war would be to have a day of prayer with all the churches being open.

When a gal was asked how she liked riding on a horse she said she never thought anything filled with hay could be so hard.

An idea summer resort is where the fish bite and the mosquitos don't.

Poor health is a great aid to virtue.

The sergeant growled at the recruit.

"Why don't you close that door when you come in?" he demanded. "Where were you raised—in a barn?" The recruit looked sad.

"Aw, come on fellow, don't take it too hard," the sergeant comforted. "Truth is I was raised in a barn."

The recruit confessed. "And every time I hear a jackass braying it makes me homesick."

Never hire a man who says "I wasn't hired to do that."

A woman likes nothing better than being told she is "different."

Just about all that can be said about a handsome man is that he is handsome.

TODAY'S STORYTELLER

The bandit held up Mr. and Mrs. Brown at the point of a gun.

"Give me your money, or I'll shoot," he hissed in the male victim's ear.

"I have no money with me except a lucky penny," said Brown.

"I have carried it for years—you don't want that do you?"

The bandit turned and looked at Mrs. Brown. He scrutinized her from head to foot. "No, I guess not," he said, "I don't believe so."

Sex has nothing to do with ignorance. There are just as many fool women as fool men.

"And now," urged the doctor, "eat lots of fruit. And also eat the skins, for they possess all the virtues and vitamins. So remember that coconut, but my favorite fruit is coconut."

One sure way to invite opportunities is to save a little cash each week and deposit it in the bank.

Hi Hum said "It's just my luck, when at the movies, to get a seat behind a tall man with a thick neck."

Two American soldiers in Egypt lived for a long time on dehydrated beef, milk, butter and vegetables. One day they visited a Cairo museum and saw the mummies.

"This" said one of them, "is going entirely too far. Now they're dehydrating women."

What we do not understand we have no right to judge.

"I can't understand it," complained the man looking for a job. "I got a good reference, and still every one I ask for a job smiles and tells me to come back again."

"What sort of reference did your last boss give you?"

"He said," the bearer, John Jones, is one of the best men this firm ever turned out."

"He had lost faith in religion because of a nagging wife." Is faith only delight in a pleasant environment?

The test of a community is how long an inoffensive preacher can last before catty criticism begins.

O. P. O. agents can easily locate black markets. Just pick out a sucker and watch where he goes.

Don't blame Eisenhower. He said it could be finished last year if everybody did his duty. But everybody didn't.

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attitude with his hands in his pockets. Except one old farmer, who looked at it and snorted.

"Humph! Taint a bit like him. Why he's got his hand in his own pockets."

The conscientious critic should first begin by criticism of himself.

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Do all you can for the Red Cross. It does a great work.

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RE. U. S. Patent Office
By FRANCES MARKEE

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Tomorrow—Staying At Hotel.

Great Game Of Politics

By FRANK R. KENT
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Issues Seen Behind
The Williams Fight

WASHINGTON, March 23.

BY THE time this is printed it is likely the Senate either will have confirmed or rejected the nomination of Mr. Aubrey Williams as Rural Electrification Administrator. But whether it has or not, it still will be worth while to review the facts of the fight made to get him the job and the fight made to prevent him getting it.

FOR again the struggle is between the forces of the Left and the forces of the Right, and the outcome will be a test of the relative strength of these forces in the Government.

If Mr. Williams wins, it will be a triumph for the radical labor leaders, for the American Labor and Liberal parties of New York, for the more unrestrained of the Left-Wing daily and weekly publications, for the extreme planners of the New Deal who favor a postwar Government-spending program and consider the size of the national debt nothing to worry about—and for Mrs. Roosevelt.

IF Mr. Williams loses, it will mean victory for those who want the Government's business in competent hands, who believe that the maintenance of Federal fiscal discipline is vital to us all, who want private enterprise to be encouraged rather than further restricted, who distrust the grandiose governmental schemes of the New Dealers and who regard the avowed political alliance between the Administration and the labor bosses as inimical to the national interests.

AT BOMBOM, the issue raised by the Williams nomination, as in the Wallace nomination, is a question of direction, of which way the Government shall point for the next four years. The personality of Mr. Williams is relatively unimportant. So, too, are his views on Negro social equality, which are identical with those of Mrs. Roosevelt, whose protégé he is. And it was, of course, silly to lug the question of his religious beliefs into the fight.

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Washington Report

Trumans Score Hit With Natives Of Washington
Vice President Believes In Telling The Truth
Informs President When He Is Wrong On Ideas

By HELEN ESSARY
(Central Press Columnist)

WASHINGTON, March 23.—I've mentioned this before but it's worth many a notice that it is a pleasure indeed to see people enjoying themselves as much as the Trumans.

I mean, of course, the vice president and his wife, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Truman.

This tale of tears known as the Earth is especially dank at the moment. The vice president Truman is managing to extract some pleasure from its gloom.

And Washington is loving them for the effort they are putting into their new roles.

This Harry Truman is a new type of vice president. I am quoting several astute Republicans sharply on the other side of the New Deal fence.

He is determined to make the vice presidency a real job. He believes the job is far more than sitting at odd times on the big presiding chair of the Senate with a gavel in one hand and a newspaper in the other.

Truman Sees Duty

Truman believes as vice president he has a definite duty. He must be the liaison officer between the Senate and the White House.

Not only does Truman believe this is his duty, he puts his theory into practice.

Regularly he interprets the Senate to Mr. Roosevelt. You're off on the wrong foot on that issue," he will say in effect to his chief.

"What is the point of making So-and-so mad? And he is mad. So his constituents. . . . We are pushing the issue too far there, Mr. President. You will never carry your own weight, personally, sir. I think you are dead wrong."

Truman's frankness in dealing with his boss is, I understand, so great that it sometimes alarms his friends. "Don't be quite so much of a Yes-Man," they advise. "Don't be a rubber stamp."

I have heard that Truman has to be in fairness to the president and to the Senate, it is to be hoped. It is my responsibility to let the president know what the Senate is thinking. Especially in such a national and world crisis as we find ourselves today, the president deserves to hear the truth from me."

Standley Complains

Truman has an excellent idea. It's truly novel. It should help the president the country and Truman.

Tries To Hang Wife In Cellar

Chicago Woman Has Husband Arrested After She Nearly Hangs In Basement

CHICAGO, March 23.—(INS)—Charged with attempting to hang his estranged wife in a manner that would indicate she had committed suicide, William Berg, 45, a machinist, today was held by police.

Mrs. Ruby Berg, 32, told Police-men Charles Weiss and James Diney that Berg surprised her in the basement of the home of her grandmother, Mrs. Mollie Leak late yesterday. She said:

"He was wearing stockings over his shoes so that he neither would make any noise nor leave any tracks. He was wearing rubber gloves so there would be no fingerprints. And in one hand he carried a rope with the noose already knotted."

"He grabbed me and said: 'I'm going to kill you. You'll never get me to court. I'm going to strangle you up.'"

With that he began trying to force my head through the noose, choking me. I begged him to let me go but he was choking me so hard I hardly could whisper."

"He finally stopped when I told him I would drop the court action and come back to him with our child, China, 10."

Police seized Berg near his home. Mrs. Berg had sued him for separate maintenance, charging cruelty.

Our processes of government are as out of date as the horse and buggy. "Actually, the horse and buggy is fast going by comparison. We are more like the pack horse and sled. Do you realize that we are attempting to run a nation by a formula devised for it at least 160 years ago? We are bumbling along in 1945 with the machinery we invented in 1781. We forget how we have changed as a nation since we wrote the constitution. Then we were a strip of thinly-settled states stretched along the Atlantic coast. We hardly knew there was a country other than our own. It took weeks to get from one end of the new nation to another, by stage coast or horseback. "When I returned from Moscow to Washington, a distance of more than 4,000 miles, I came by plane and it took me about a day and a half. Why can't we make our processes of government keep pace with the advance in transportation—transportation that sets the size and business of the world?"

THE PARENT PROBLEM

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see your answer, as this mother says she wouldn't think of spanking her child as it left such a bad memory for her when she was spanked by her parents."

No doubt this mother was spanked unreasonably late in her childhood and inconsistently. If, as I have urged in this column, the tot learns the meaning of NO at an early age spanking can effectively be abandoned to punishment by chair-sitting for a definite period or denial of a cherished privilege. Then no such emotional memories as this mother has, would be remembered.

Limited Spankings
Suppose this mother should decide to use corporal punishment, if necessary, to control her daughter, six. Then she should limit it to just one situation—when and if the child left the punishment chair before the end of a sentence say of 35 minutes. In case the plan were made very clear to the child, she always would have the choice between serving the sentence and a sound spanking. If she got the paddling she would have chosen it deliberately.

While I dislike to advise any corporal punishment after the age of four or five, some of these children 6 to 8 or 10, out of control may have to have it if they are to be saved from the moral scrap heap of delinquency and crime or be fit to live with.

WASHINGTON REPORT

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Commons, of course, represents the people.

What his faithful informers tell Churchill influences his national and international behavior. This back of the scene guidance is one of the reasons it can be said of the prime minister—he has the people of England behind him."

Every time I see Admiral William D. Standley, former United States ambassador to the Soviet, he scolds me thusly:

"Why don't you write something really constructive," he says. "You cannot have forgotten completely that I keep talking to you about the necessity of streamlining the government of the United States."

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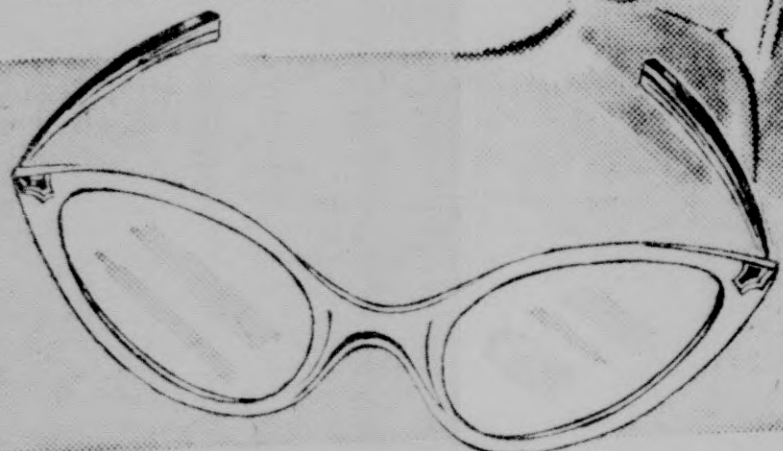
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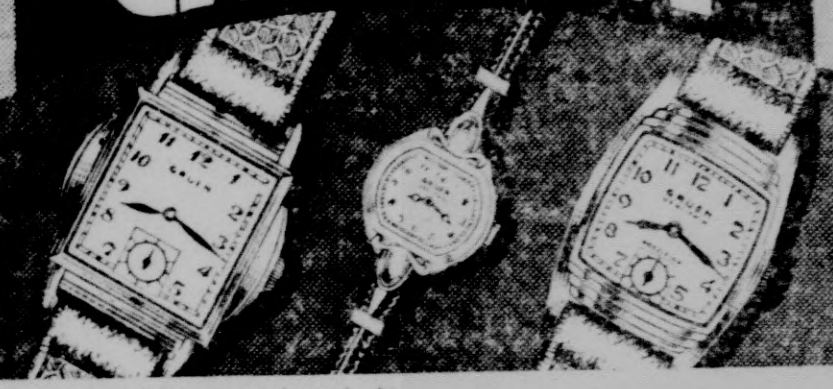
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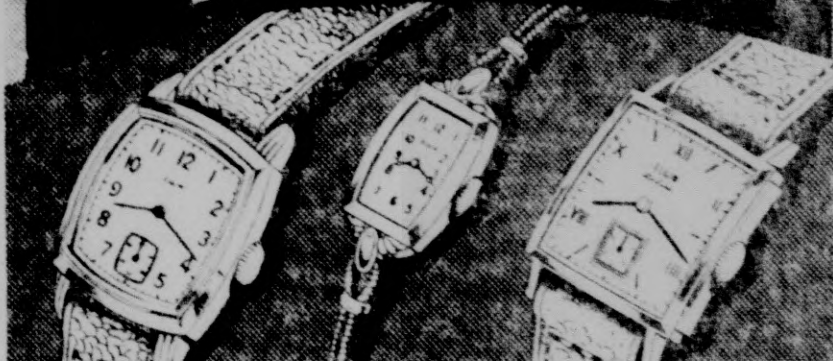
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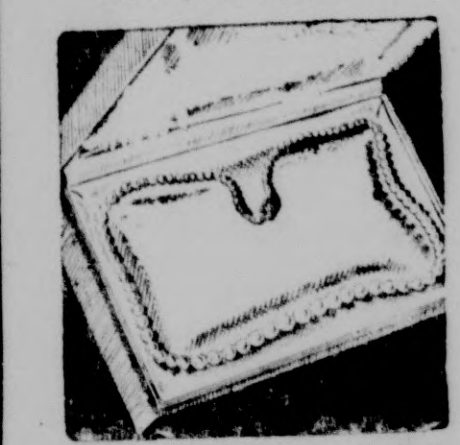
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Real Estate Outlook As Seen By Babson

By ROGER W. BABSON
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BABSON PARK, Mass. March 23.—A real estate boom appears in the making—in fact, it has been going on for some time in certain sections. Therefore, a few rules may well be recommended. In a general article like this I should not comment upon farm lands as location and soil and improvements are so much different from city properties. Perhaps the simplest and surest way to make money in real estate is to select a growing, well-located city with diversified industries and surrounded by good soil. Most mid-western cities, which are situated on a navigable lake or river, fulfill such requirements.

After selecting your city ascertain the best residential street leading out from the center of the city. Go out that street in the right direction for a few miles until you come to vacant land. Then stop and inquire the price. So long as the price is quoted per "front foot" or per "square foot" go along further until someone quotes you a price "per acre". Everything else being equal, buy at this location.

Watch Your Step
Although real estate prices in many sections have risen considerably, there is now no sign—except in war-inflated areas—of a turn downward. In fact, I now foresee no general decline for a few years. On the other hand, one should buy land much more carefully now. For instance, a few years ago almost any property, relatively well located, could be purchased for speculation with reasonable certainty that the transaction would return a profit. Now that is no longer true. This is well borne out by noting that the rate of transfers has slowed up.

Local Conditions Important
Certain areas will experience sharp drops in values when war contracts expire and transition unemployment occurs. A marked cessation of employment or redistribution of industry and people in

some sections could spell drastic local deflation, postwar.

Construction activity in other localities will increase sharply after the ending of the European phase of the war. The WPB has made preparations for a speedy resumption of new building, once men and materials are available. The construction industry has always been one of the mainstays of full employment and prosperity. An administration searching so avidly for economic health will not overlook the job-creating possibilities of a building boom.

City Vs Suburban Land
Residential houses property—urban, suburban and rural—has staged the most spectacular price advance during the war. Office and factory has also moved up, but not to the same degree. City retail store space and land suitable for subdivision in suburban areas has moved up the least. However, after peace, the reverse may happen.

On the basis of the economic prospects for different sections of the country, I feel that the best areas will be in the southeast, far west and southwest. Prospects ap-

pear only fair in the middle east, central states and northwest. The least favorable section from the standpoint of future prospects is the New England states.

Consider Labor Conditions
Factory rehabilitation will be extensive but relatively few new factory units will be needed. The general outlook for retail property is favorable because of the expected upswing in consumer goods. Suburban land for subdivision will increase most in value.

Although there is much talk about local manpower shortages, yet the severance problem will become paramount as 1945 moves along. This is destined to have an important bearing on the demand for real estate. In the last analysis, real estate prices fluctuate with pay-rolls, profits, commodity prices and the stock market.

The 1944 peanut crop of 2,500,000,000 pounds grown on about twice as many acres as were utilized before the war, has been harvested,

Women With Careers Make Best Mothers, Says Child Expert

STATE COLLEGE, Pa., March 23.—Women who combine homemaking with outside jobs often prove superior mothers, a Pennsylvania State College child expert said today.

"Most mothers enjoy their children more for having been away from them for a few hours, if the children are well-cared for in their absence," Dr. Winona Morgan, head of the nursery school, believes.

The important thing in family life, she emphasized, is not the total time the parents and children spend together but the quality of the relationship while they are together. A woman bogged down by housework, she added, may be less able to cope

with her children than one who works part of each day.

When the mother has an outside job, Dr. Morgan feels fathers will assume more responsibility for the care of the children—"to the children's benefit," she added.

Many men, she continued, are unwittingly separated from their children by an over-zealous mother. Most fathers, she explained, "don't realize what they are missing."

NAMED TO POST
HARRISBURG, March 23.—(INS)—Frank E. Hoffman of Harrisburg, was acting deputy secretary of the Department of Property and Supplies today filling a vacancy created by the death of Walter G. Scott of Pittsburgh.

Hoffman was former director of the Bureau of Grounds and Buildings. Scott died December 30.

Pigeon Goes AWOL; Flies 1,600 Miles

HEMPSTEAD, N. Y., March 23.—(INS)—A prize homing pigeon, apparently bored with army life, was home today, AWOL from Camp Browder, Mo., after a 1,600-mile flight.

The bird, named Big Red, was presented to the army signal corps

three years ago by its owners, Mr. and Mrs. John Schultz of Hempstead.

Yesterday the Schultzes found Big Red back in his own coop again—and no back talk!

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Bumper Wheat Crop Is Forecast

HARRISBURG, March 23.—Projected by a heavy blanket of snow during the coldest weather of the past winter months, the 1945 winter wheat crop in Pennsylvania should be of bumper proportions provided no alternate freezing and thawing come before spring, the State Department of Agriculture reports.

Warm days and cold nights result in exposure of the roots of young plants which may be killed by freezing, it was explained.

Next to corn, wheat is the most extensively grown grain crop in the Keystone state. The importance of Pennsylvania as a wheat growing state is seen in recently compiled reports of the Federal State Crop Reporting Service which disclose that the state last year ranked 12th in production among the 39 states growing this crop with a total of 20,108,000 bushels. The state also ranked 12th in the value of the winter wheat crop which was worth slightly more than \$30,000,000. In 1943 the state was 11th in production and 12th in value.

Pennsylvania in 1944 ranked 13th in the acreage devoted to the growing of winter wheat, with a total of 814,000 acres, and was 12th in yield, an average of 22 bushels per acre being grown. In yield per acre there was a great advance last year over 1943 when the average was but 17 bushels and the state ranked 18th.

In the growing of all wheat, including winter and spring varieties, Pennsylvania last year ranked 17th in production, 16th in value, 17th in acreage and 12th in yield per acre.

Wholesale catching of eels for food is being urged in northern Ireland.

Liberty Grange

Mr. and Mrs. John Turner and Verda and Mrs. Charles Turner, visited friends in Springdale on Sunday.

Miss Olive Bicker is a guest of her sister and brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Hollis Locke.

Mr. and Mrs. Leslie McCracken and family entertained at a 6 o'clock dinner Sunday in honor of Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Brenneman and family who are making their home in Harrisville, Pa.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Knorr of Washington, D. C., spent the weekend with the latter's mother, Mrs. Venetta Kildoo.

Mr. and Mrs. M. W. McCracken spent one evening with their niece, Helen McCracken, of New Castle.

Mrs. Venetta Kildoo spent several days last week with her daughter, Mrs. Will Gardner, of Plaingrove.

Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Cameron were guests at a birthday party for Claribel Cameron at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Scott Munnell of the Butler road.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur Fox of Mercer, Pa., spent the past week-end with relatives here.

Miss Grace Moncreif of New Castle was a dinner guest at the James Tucker home on Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph McCracken and Barbara of Butler, and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Knorr of Washington, D. C., were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Francis McCracken last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Gaylord Emery and Lynda were Tuesday evening dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Locke.

Mrs. Elmer Bicker and daughters, Olive and Mrs. Herbert Walters, of Cabot, were Sunday callers at the home of Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Locke.

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Bob Davis Home On Convalescent Leave

Martin Street Seaman, Veteran Of
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Seaman First Class Robert L. Davis, son of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Davis of 507 Martin street, who was seriously wounded in the leg and who also sustained severe burns of both hands, when the aircraft carrier on which he was serving in the Pacific area was struck by a Jap bomb, is home on convalescent leave from the Brooklyn Naval hospital, where he has been undergoing treatment.

At the expiration of his leave he will return to the Brooklyn hospital for further treatment.

Seaman Davis took part in seven major engagements in the Pacific theater during the nine months he served in that theater. He has received the Purple Heart for his wounds.

Lt. Fred M. Kerr Has Arrived Home

Local Officer, Wounded While Serving
With General Patton's Army,
Home On Convalescent Leave

First Lt. Fred M. Kerr, who suffered wounds of the right arm and right leg, while fighting against the Nazis in France on November 25, has arrived home on convalescent leave. Lt. Kerr resides at 315 North Shenango street.

He was serving with General Patton's army, with an infantry unit of the Fourth Armored division, when he was wounded, and has been undergoing treatment in hospitals in France and England, arriving in the states recently.

He will return at the expiration of his leave to Camp Pickett, Va., where he will receive further treatment.

PERSONAL MENTION

Mrs. James Davis of 830 Lathrop street is confined to the New Castle hospital, where she is recovering from an appendix operation.

Mrs. Thomas Davis and son, Thomas, of Pittsburgh, have arrived for a visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Smith, 1118 South Mill street.

Ed Whiteman of 319 Phillips street has received word that his aunt, Mrs. Lawrence W. Platt, formerly of Centennial street, this city, is quite ill at her home, 128 Crowley avenue, Geneva, O.

Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Butler, and daughter, Anne, of Ann Arbor, Mich., have returned home. They made the trip to see Mrs. Butler's brother, Pfc. Edward S. Gibson, who was home on furlough. They visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Gibson, of 1120 South Mill street.

Word has been received of the birth of a son, their second, to Mr. and Mrs. Frank Pyle, of Cladron in the Magee hospital, Pittsburgh, on March 21. Mr. and Mrs. Pyle are former New Castle residents. The new arrival is a grandson of Mr. and Mrs. Harold B. Pyle, of Meyer avenue.

Mrs. Lizzie Jones, of the Hoyt Apartments, West Washington street, has received word from her brother, George P. Jones, of St. Cloud, Fla., stating that he and Mrs. Jones had moved to Sarasota, Fla. Mr. and Mrs. Jones were former residents of this city. Mr. Jones is a retired Pennsylvania Railroad engineer.

Cpl. E. E. Stewart Is Wounded Again

Glenn Avenue Soldier Is Seriously
Wounded While Serving Under
Fire With Medical Unit

Word has been received by Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Stewart of 1022 Glen avenue, from the War department, stating that their son, Cpl. Edward E. Stewart, has been seriously wounded in action on March 1 while serving with a medical unit of the Thirty-eighth Cavalry Reconnaissance Squadron, in Germany.

Corporal Stewart, who has been in service for over three years, has been overseas for two years, and had received the Purple Heart for wounds received in action on July 26 in France. He trained at the O'Reilly general hospital, and went into action soon after D-day.

Parent-Teachers

Rose Avenue P.T.A.

Rose Avenue P.T.A. has made plans for a special project and program to be held at the school on April 10.

Mrs. R. W. Harris was in charge of the program at the most recent meeting of the P.T.A. The Girl Scouts under the direction of Mrs. Walter Jessel presented a program.

Brownie Pack No. 46 under Mrs. W. Wilson and Mrs. Clyde Henson and Brownie Pack No. 45 under Mrs. P. D. Gibson and Mrs. C. C. McDermott participated. Boy Scouts under the supervision of Carroll Byler also took part. Thomas G. Allen, Boy Scout executive director, and Mrs. W. K. McAfee, Girl Scout commissioner, were speakers. H. J. Cullford told of plans to start a First Aid class at the school soon.

A Founder's Day collection was taken.

Eight Spots Club

Miss Ruth Morrow, of 409 North Jefferson street, was hostess Wednesday evening in her home to the Eight Spots club.

Playing Hearts was enjoyed, with trophies being awarded to Miss Phyllis Pugh and Miss Mary Elizabeth Dickey. An open discussion on the subject, "Fortune Telling and Palmistry," was also a feature.

Lunch was served by the hostess, aided by her mother, Mrs. Pearl Morrow.

Miss Mary Elizabeth Dickey, of Katherine street, will entertain, April 4.

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Pvt. Walter Henzel Wounded In Action

Pvt. Walter Henzel, serving with an engineer unit of the Third Army in Germany, was wounded in Luxembourg on February 12, and is now convalescing in a hospital in England, according to word sent to his father, Jacob Henzel of 307 Galbreath avenue. His family have not learned how serious his wounds are.

Pvt. Henzel has been in service since December 20, 1943, and overseas since June, 1944. Two brothers also in service are Pfc. Stanley Henzel, with a supply squadron in Italy, and John J. Henzel, A.M.M. 3-c, somewhere in the Pacific.

GIRL SCOUTS

Chorus Rehearsal

Representing a number of different troops, about a dozen Scouts met in the Girl Scout office for rehearsal and rehearsal of the Girl Scout chorus Thursday afternoon at four o'clock, with Mrs. Lyle Hughes in charge.

The next meeting will be Thursday, April 5.

Leaders' Association

Leaders' association is meeting this evening in the Scout office instead of on Good Friday, the regular evening for the meetings.

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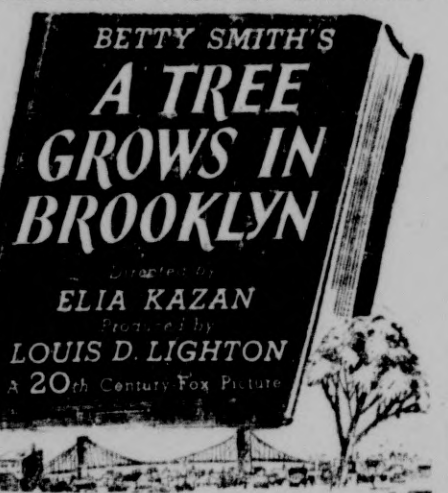
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Wayne W. C. T. U.

Wayne W. C. T. U. members were entertained Tuesday evening at the home of Mrs. Arthur Wehman, of Smiley Street. Mrs. Victor Markle conducted the devotional period, which opened with the group singing "The Peace Hymn of the World".

Department directors made reports of their activities. Plans were furthered for a speech contest to be conducted soon among the 7th and 8th grade pupils of Wayne consolidated school. It was decided to join with the four other unions in the community in serving amethyst beverages to the teen-agers at their Easter dance Friday evening.

A membership committee, comprised of Mrs. Edward Beltz, Mrs. Wendell Shoemaker and Mrs. John

Meehan, was appointed. Mrs. Shoemaker announced one new member, Mrs. Howard Guy.

Plans were made for honoring the Wayne Youth's Temperance Council during National Y. T. C. week, April 15 to 21. The union will serve a dinner Tuesday, April 17, at 6:30 o'clock in the Slippery Rock Presbyterian church to Y. T. C. members and guests. Mrs. Helen Wilkins, county Y. T. C. secretary, will be the main speaker of the evening.

Following the program on "Medical Temperance," conducted by Mrs. Fred Houk, there was an auction sale of Easter bonnets, with Mrs. Blaine Houk as auctioneer. There was much merriment, and a nice sum was realized for the flower fund in charge of Mrs. Wehman.

Next meeting will be April 24. Each member is to take a tooth brush or tube of cream for the soldiers and sailors department.

French is the official international language.

With New Castle Afro-Americans

Missionary society of St. Paul's
Baptist church will meet Monday
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All Casualties To Date Total 859,587

Increase Of 20,098 For Week In
Report By Acting Secretary
Of War Patterson

WASHINGTON, March 23.—(INS)—Casualties in the armed services now total 859,587, an increase of 20,098 in the last week. Acting Secretary of War Robert P. Patterson announced today.

The War department reported 19,223 casualties during the past week on the basis of figures available through March 14. These reflected actual events up to the latter part of February.

The Navy, Marine Corps and Coast Guard casualty figures showed an increase of 875 over those reported a week ago.

The Army's casualties now total 767,680, of which 150,310 have been killed, 464,731 wounded, 38,209 missing and 64,430 prisoners. Of the wounded, 236,251 have returned to duty.

The Navy casualties total 91,907 of which 35,342 were listed as killed, 41,882 wounded, 10,417 missing and 4,266 prisoners of war.

Sgt. Merle Copper Is Wounded In Germany

Wampum District Soldier Suffers
Wounds Of Left Side While
With Patton's Third Army

Word has been received from Sgt. Merle N. Copper, of R. D. 2, Wampum, by his step-mother, Mrs. Pearl Copper, and his brother, John T. Copper, who was wounded in action in Germany on February 20, stating that he is making satisfactory recovery from his wounds. He was wounded in the left side, he stated.

Woman Delegate To Speak For Youths

NEW YORK, March 23.—(INS)—Jean Virginia C. Gledersleeve of Barnard College, only woman delegate to the San Francisco world security conference, declared today that at the party she would speak for women in the new world order as well as in behalf of youth and "its faith in the vision of a better world."

"Perhaps," she said, "at some moment in the long process of achieving security, women's profound instinct for conserving and developing life may markedly influence the course of history."

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Health Talks

By DR. W. A. WOMER
City Health Superintendent

MEDICINES, FOODS AND TOILET PREPARATIONS

It is pretty hard for people to judge as to the quality of toilet articles, foods or medicines which are offered for sale.

Sometimes medicines are said to cure diseases which they cannot cure. Toilet preparations are claimed to remove freckles or fat or blemishes quickly and safely. Perhaps they cannot remove these blemishes or will cause more damage than the blemishes do.

Sometimes ordinary cheap food substances are advertised to do very wonderful things at an increase in price.

The American Medical association offers a service to our people so that they may know something about these things.

Toilet preparations, foods and medicines are tested and analyzed. If they are found to be true to label and are honestly advertised, they are given a badge of approval.

When you see the stamp or label, "Accepted American Medical Association," you can be sure that you have an honest article with no exaggerated claims.

Two incubators at Baddion Eire will produce 6000 chicks in six months.

TWIN BOYS SMOTHER UNDER THEIR COVERS

PHOENIXVILLE, Pa., March 23.

(INS)—Three-month-old twin boys were dead today—smothered in separate cribs in their Phoenixville home.

The babies, Edwin and Robert, were sons of Capt. Edwin H. Smith, 2nd, chief of the dental prosthetic service at Valley Forge general hospital. Captain Smith told police he went to the nursery to give them their feeding and found one, then the other, lifeless under their blankets.

AUTOS JUNKED IN STATE AT RATE OF

93 CARS EACH DAY

HARRISBURG, March 23.—(INS)

—The Pennsylvania Automotive association reported today that 33,850 Pennsylvania motor vehicles were "junked" during 1944 at the rate of 93 machines per day.

The association, quoting State Revenue department reports, said that approximately seven per cent of the vehicles which were taken off the nation's highways last year were from Pennsylvania.

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Smart 1 to 4 sizes in coat and hat sets that please their little hearts and make them look like little angels. All colors, styles and patterns.

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PARADE



Boys' Popular Eton SUITS

Plains and Fancies \$5.95

Tops for style—tailored to perfection. Long wearing woollens in all colors and styles.



TOTS' DRESSES

1.98 and 2.98

Crisp new dresses in bold colors or pastels. Fine fabrics, easily washed. Sizes 1 to 6.

Boys' Sailor Suits

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Please the little fellow's heart—and make him look like his big brother in these dandy, well made all wool sailor suits.



Easter Straws 1.98

All colors, trimmed and plain. All head sizes.

French Felt Berets \$1.19

Brilliant colors as well as white and navy blue.

Bag and Hat Sets \$1.98

All styles, including the popular "Duchie".

Infant's Hand

Embroidered

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Infant's Hand

Embroidered

DRESSES

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All Wool

BOOTEES

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Ladies' HAND

BAGS

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Plus Tax

All colors and combinations.

Ladies' Rayon Crepe

SLIPS 1.98

Whites and pinks in well tailored styles.

Highlight Your Easter

BLOUSES 3.98

Whites and pastels in plains and fancies.

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Plenty of ruffles for beauty.



New Tailored

CURTAINS \$2.49 pr.

Trim, tailored styles in the popular ecru shade.

Ruffled Organdy

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\$4.95 pair

Sheer Organdies that

spell spring for your

windows. 90" overall,

84" long. Permanent

finish, ready to hang.

24x48 RAG RUGS

\$1.98

Slip-over

SWEATERS

\$3.98

All colors, in the

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Short sleeves.

Wear them under

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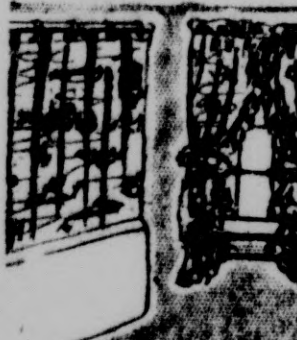
Bedspread

\$5.95

Cotton and rayon in

pastel shades, 88x105

inches.



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Curtain and Drape Sets.

Attractive patterns.

Here's A Real VALUE!

Complete 7 Pieces
MODERN BEDROOM
\$119 Minimum Down Payment
ONLY \$2.00 WEEKLY!

Everything included! No extras to buy! The suite is a good-looking modern design in richly grained walnut finish on selected cabinet woods, with generously proportioned pieces, sturdily constructed throughout. The complete outfit includes full size Panel Bed, Chest of Drawers, and Vanity, comfortable Mattress, Coil Spring and 2 Feather Pillows! Compare this value before you buy!

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DINETTE SET
\$49.75
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ONLY \$1.25 WEEKLY!

Distinctively designed and built of solid oak, rights finished in heat and stain resisting lacquer. Extension table has beautifully grained top with genuine mahogany inlays. Chairs have valuable leatherette seats.

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An authentically styled Colonial bedroom suite of distinctive charm. Each piece is full deluxe size, staunchly built of solid woods in mellow, honey-tone finish. Big dresser with hanging mirror, large, roomy 4-drawer chest and full size bed—all 3 pieces for only \$79.

TWIN SIZE FOLDING BED
WITH MATTRESS
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Regular twin bed size. 39 inches wide. Full 9 inches wider than the ordinary folding bed. All steel construction. Complete with comfortable layer cotton felt mattress. Folds compactly and is fitted with casters—easily rolled into a closet.

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\$59.50 Minimum Down Payment
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Luxurious innerspring construction throughout the seat and back. An attractive sofa by day—easily converted into a roomy bed at night. Beautiful, long-wearing upholstery. Has concealed built-in bedding compartment.

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10 for 55c

ORANGES

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OCCIDENT FLOUR, 25-lb. sck. \$1.17

Scully's Crystal White
Syrup . . . 5-lb. jar 39c

Golden Loaf
Flour . . . 25 lbs. \$1.15

BLUE KARO 5 lbs. for 34c 10-lb. can 62c

Campbell's Pork &
Beans . . . 3 cans 25c

Campbell's Tomato
Soup . . . 3 cans 25c

Campbell's Cream of Spinach
Soup . . . 2 cans 23c

Sno-Sheen Cake
Flour . . . lge. box 23c

5 Lb. Sack Velvet Cake
Flour 39c

Pillsbury Pancake
Flour box 11c

Waldorf Toilet
Tissue . . . 6 rolls 25c

Del Monte
Peas 2 jars 35c

Del Monte Cream Style
Corn 2 cans 29c

Walvet, Climax
or Clean
**WALLPAPER
CLEANER**
lge. Can 27c

Chase & Sanborn
COFFEE
Lb. 25c

Strikelite
MATCHES
6 boxes 19c

Volanda
Salad Oil . . . gal. can \$1.59

Calif.
Tomato Paste . . 3 cans 25c

La Premiata
Macaroni 5 lbs. 53c
(20 Lbs. \$1.69)

No. 2 Can Joan of Arc
Kidney Beans . . . 2 for 23c

14 Oz. Bottle Stokely's Finest
Ketchup 16c

No. 2 Can Del Monte
Pineapple Juice . . 2 for 35c

Golden Dawn
Orange Juice . . . 46-Oz. 44c
Point Free

Maxwell House
Coffee lb. 29c

Jerzee
Milk 10 tall cans 83c

Na-Bis-Co
Shredded Wheat, 2 bxs. 23c

Home Dressed
**VEAL
CHOPS**
Lb. 25c

Fresh Country
**SIDE
PORK**
Lb. 29c

Fresh
**RICOTTA
CHEESE**
Lb. 37c

Boneless
Veal For Stewing Lb. 25c

Home Dressed
Veal Breast . . lb. 25c

Grade A
Sirloin Steak . . lb. 43c

Fancy
Chuck Roast . . lb. 24c

Home Dressed
Leg of Lamb . . lb. 39c

Armour's Star Jumbo
Bologna lb. 27c

Armour's Loia Brand
Salami lb. 49c

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Lard . . . 3-lb. pkg. 58c

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Eggs doz. 38c

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Dates . . . lb. 39c

Fancy
Bananas . lb. 12c

Extra Large 126 Size Calif. Sunkist
Oranges . . . doz. 56c

U. S. No. 1 N. Y. State Delicious
Apples 3 lbs. 29c

360 Size Sunkist
Lemons . . . doz. 19c

Texas Pink
Grapefruit . . 4 for 29c

Curley
Parsley . . . bch. 10c

Sno-White
Cauliflower . . hd. 29c

Fancy
Endive lb. 18c

Fresh Pascal Hearts
Celery bch. 23c

Fresh
Spinach lb. 10c

Fresh
Escarole . . . lb. 17c

U. S. No. 1 Maine
POTATOES 15-lb. peck 69c

Calif. Green Top
Carrots . . . 3 bchs. 25c

Fresh Green Top
Beets 2 bchs. 19c

Fancy Calif. Wonder
Peppers lb. 19c

Tender Green
Beans lb. 19c

Fresh Red
Radishes . 2 bchs. 15c

Yellow Skin
Onions, 10-lb. sck. 35c

Extra Large Stark Pascal
Celery ea. 15c

Large Size Head
Lettuce . . . 2 hds. 25c

New
Cabbage . . . lb. 4c

Onion Sets . . lb. 19c

Porto Rican
Yams . . 4 lbs. 29c

No. 1 Baldwin
Apples, 4 lbs. 25c
(Bn. \$2.85)

U. S. No. 1 Penna.
POTATOES 100 Lb. Bag \$3.75 . . . 15-lb. peck 63c

Chaplain R. S. Hall Released From Camp; Is Now In Russia

'Jumping Parson' Is Freed After
Being Held Prisoner Since
Last September

Chaplain Raymond S. Hall, the minister who became famous as the "jumping parson" when he voluntarily took the same parachute training his men were taking, has been released from the German prison camp where he was being held and is now somewhere in Russia, according to information received by his family.

Overseas since September 1943 Chaplain Hall landed in Normandy on D-Day with the 101st Airborne Division, and later received an eye wound from a piece of shrapnel. He was taken prisoner during the invasion of Holland last September.

Although no official details have been received, it is believed that the chaplain was freed as a result of the Russian advance into Poland and Germany. He had been held at Olog 64, an officer's camp in Poland near the Baltic Sea, but was to have been moved to Stalag 3A, about 30

miles south of Berlin. His family have not learned whether he was released before moving or enroute to the new camp.

Chaplain Hall's last church was St. John's Episcopal, in Lowell, Massachusetts, where his mother is now living. His wife, the former Mary Elizabeth Fankhauser, and two sons are at home with Mrs. Hall's mother, Mrs. Albert Fankhauser of Hazelcroft avenue.

Local Paratrooper Wounded, Improving

Pfc. Jack R. Clarke Sustains Shrapnel Wounds In Ardennes, Improving Nicely

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Clarke of Round street, have received word from their son, Pfc. Jack R. Clarke, stating that he is getting along nicely after a couple of operations in a hospital in England.

Pfc. Clarke was with 101st Paratroopers at Bastogne, in the Ardennes, during the battle of the Bulge. He was wounded in action January 3. He had shrapnel wounds in the back of the head, face, and right hand.

Try The News Want Ads For Results

Local Tank Crewman In Bastogne Defense

(Special To The News)

With the Tenth Armored "Tiger Division"—A tank crew in which served leader Cpl. Frank Bullano of New Castle, Pa., figured in the heroic defense of Bastogne, in Belgium, when elements of the 10th Armored Division rushed northward to defend the town.

It was their hasty defenses which first met and stopped the furious Nazi onslaught, and later, after the arrival of the 101st Airborne infantry, the Tenth acted as a mobile reserve rushing swiftly to plug any threatened gap in the defenses, thus earning for themselves the title of "Fire Brigade."

Cpl. Bullano's crew, mounting the largest cannon in their company, battled the German's newest and most potent weapon—the Tiger Royal tank which weighs 75 tons, is protected by about 12 inches of armor plate, and mounts an elongated version of the famous German 88mm. cannon. On one occasion, this crew went within 100 yards of enemy positions to retrieve a disabled American tank, and towed it 50 yards under fire across an open field to safety.

SPOTLIGHT Of Today

(International News Service)

VON KESSELING

Field Marshal Albert von Kesselring, named as the new commander of the last-ditch German armies in the west, today faced the well-nigh impossible task of checking the onslaught of Gen. Dwight D. Eisenhower's allied forces across the Rhine.

Undoubtedly Adolf Hitler, frantic for the want of a military leader who can stay his doom, chose Kesselring to replace Field Marshal Karl Gerd von Rundstedt for his record in Italy. There Kesselring, using every piece of terrain to best advantage, has made the progress of allied armies painfully slow and costly.

The 60-year-old Kesselring is a Bavarian, not a Prussian, but has earned a reputation as a tough professional soldier. He is also known as a non-party general who failed to send a message of fidelity to Hitler after last summer's bomb attempt on the Fuehrer's life.

To the allies, however, he is just as much a war criminal as others of Hitler's crew. A friend of Hermann Goering and at times commander of Luftwaffe units, Kesselring is credited with ordering the bombing of Rotterdam when it was a defenseless city. Asked about the helpless Dutch civilians, he is said to have answered, "cut them to ribbons anyway."

Until the Italian campaign, Kesselring had no outstanding successes and no glaring failures. He helped direct the Luftwaffe in the battle of Britain, served only briefly on the Russian front and then went to the Mediterranean. Hitler now hopes he will defend the Rhine on the Italian model. Eisenhower knows better.

Presbyterians Are Largest Group On Westminster Campus

NEW WILMINGTON, March 23.—Only three of the 569 students enrolled at Westminster college give no choice as to the church they would attend, according to recent statistics released by Miss Isabel Ramsey, recorder.

Presbyterians outnumber all other groups with a total of 170. United Presbyterians are a close second with 163. Third high are the Methodists with 87.

Other religious groups represented in the order of their number on campus are Lutheran, Episcopalian, Catholic, Baptist, Christian church, Evangelical and Reformed, Reformed, Congregational, Jewish, Evangelical, Christian Science, United Brethren, First Covenant, Serbian Orthodox, Christian and Missionary Alliance, Zion Mission, Mennonite, Russian Orthodox, Church of Christ, Nazarene, Pentecostal, Plymouth Brethren and Greek Orthodox.

Half Billion State Individual Bond Quota In Next Drive

Pennsylvania's quota of individual bond sales in the 7th war bond campaign which opens April 7 will be \$506,000,000. G. Ruhland Reimann, state chairman said today. This is an all time high for the state and in the case of "E" bonds represents an increase of 80 per cent. The "E" bond quota for the seventh drive is \$288,000,000 as against \$180,000,000 for the sixth campaign.

The "E" bond quota in the sixth drive was the lowest of the six yet held. The highest was the 3rd campaign when the quota was \$225,600,000.

The substantial increase for the 7th War Loan drive in the E bond quota and the quota for total sales to individuals has been established by reason of the fact that expenditures for the war will continue to be high and there will be only two drives in 1945 as compared with three in 1944. The estimates of individual income of Pennsylvanians indicate that the total monthly income will run at a larger amount during the first six months of 1945 than it did in the same period in 1944.

The fishing locality known as the Grand Banks, is a submarine plateau extended into the Atlantic ocean east of Newfoundland.

REPORT AL JOLSON TO BE MARRIED TO YOUNG BRUNETTE

HOLLYWOOD, March 23.—(INS)—"Mammy" Singer Al Jolson, 56, and three times married, was reported today headed toward the marriage altar with a 21-year-old brunette beauty from Arkansas.

The girl is Erle Galbraith, now a stock player at 20th Century-Fox but who was an X-ray technician at a naval hospital in her home state when the veteran singer met her during an entertainment tour last year.

Girls of ancient Sparta were given a training in gymnastics and dancing that they might be bearers of strong children.

Evacuate Wounded Across Rhine By Glider Methods

WITH THE U. S. FIRST ARMY, March 23.—(INS)—At least 22 Remagen bridgehead wounded were safe across the Rhine today being evacuated in gliders during the first such aerial operation in this theater of war.

The casualties, including two Germans, were flown from a tiny field to a hospital 15 miles away in little more than five minutes. The trip takes three to five hours by ambulance.

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\$9.95 to \$49.95

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- Fur Trim Suits
- Cardigan Suits
- 3-Piece Suits
- Ensemble Suits
- Pastel Suits
- Gabardine Suits

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Franco's Move Is Somewhat Belated

Spanish Dictator Still Asserts Spain Will Declare War Upon Japan

By THOMAS C. WATSON
(U. S. Staff Correspondent)

LONDON, March 23.—(INS)—Despite the discouragement given him by the Democratic powers, Generalissimo Francisco Franco seems determined to break relations and declare war with Japan, diplomatic observers declared in London.

These observers called attention to the fact that the overt act on which Spanish agitation against the Japs is based occurred more than two years ago.

Whether the falangist leaders protested to Tokyo at that time is not known in England but it is stressed that for many months after the Manila incident in which Spanish nationals were killed or crippled by the Japanese, Madrid carried on friendly relations with the Quisling Filipino government.

Whether Spain intended to cash in on the grasp of the Axis, or she was too weak at the time to protest is a matter of conjecture.

Too Belated
It is believed that with the rising power of Emigre Spanish Republicans through the sympathy shown them by Democratic powers, Franco is finding it expedient to make some move which will stave off internal revolution and carry favor with the United States.

Regardless of the effect Franco's threat against Japan would have in the United States and Latin America, it was pointed out that both Britain and Russia view the Spanish leader's moves with "logi cal coolness" and will oppose any attempt of the Falangist regime to cash into the San Francisco conference in April or participate in any peace-time meeting affecting the United Nations.

Judges Disagree On Effect Of Jealousy

PITTSBURGH, March 23.—(INS)—Justice Horace Stern, of the Pennsylvania supreme court, and Charles E. Kenworthy, of the state superior court, today do not agree on the effect of jealousy in marriage.

While hearing the McKrell divorce case, Justice Stern observed: "Jealousy is only an exaggerated form of love."

But when the superior court heard the case last September, Justice Kenworthy took another view: "If you had a jealous wife," he told the attorneys, "you wouldn't go home either."

Mrs. Frances Arline McKrell is asking the highest court in the commonwealth to reverse a superior court decision granting a divorce to her husband, Dr. Harvey F. McKrell. He had appealed to superior court when Allegheny county common pleas court refused him a divorce.

J. McCLENAHAN F. I. C. IN PACIFIC HOSPITAL

Word has been received by Mrs. Anna McClenahan of English avenue, that her husband, James McClenahan, F. I. C. U. S. Navy, is confined to a base hospital somewhere in the Philippines.

Sherman McClenahan has been in the service one year, and overseas six months. He was a former resident of New Wilmington.

Will Of Central Figure In Tragedy Gives Sons Bequest

PHILADELPHIA, March 23.—(INS)—The will of Mrs. Rose Allen Thomson, probated in Philadelphia today, revealed that her entire estate, valued at \$48,000, will be divided among her three sons.

Mrs. Thomson, central figure in the sensational murder case of Francis A. Donaldson, 3rd, in 1931, died March 12 from what a coroner's report listed as the effects of an overdose of a sleeping potion.

The will provides a life trust out of \$45,000 in personal property for the three boys and half interest in a \$3,000 property.

The beneficiaries are Ronald Coolbaugh, eight, son of Mrs. Thomson's first husband, Kenneth K. Coolbaugh; Richard Thomson, five, and his brother, sons of the second husband, Richard K. Thomson, from whom the well-known socialite was separated at the time of her death.

Security Plan Amendments To Be Submitted

PARIS, March 23.—(INS)—Amendments for the world security plan to be submitted by France at the April 25 United Nations conference in San Francisco were published by the French government today.

Principal points of the French proposals include:

1. Acceptance of the Yalta decision that majority decisions of a security council of 11 nations must include unanimity among the five main powers—the United States, Britain, Russia, China and France.

2. In cases of urgent danger from aggression, regional security pacts concluded by members of the international organization must be allowed to function and coercive measures be taken in compliance with such regional pacts, independently or prior agreement thereto of the international security council.



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Curfew Does Not Help Absenteeism

PITTSBURGH, March 23.—(INS)—Absenteeism in Pittsburgh district war plants remains virtually unaffected by the midnight curfew, a survey today showed.

A check on 10 plants by the Commercial Services Company showed five have not experienced any improvement, four noted an increase in absenteeism and but one reported any improvement. Some plants reported night workers seek to quit earlier, offering various pretexts.

Among the larger plants reporting no change were Carnegie-Illinois Steel Corporation, Jones & Laughlin Steel Corporation and Westinghouse Electric and Manufacturing Company.

Mrs. W. Matis Gets Son's Purple Heart

Lieut. Leslie W. Matis has forwarded his Purple Heart medal to his mother, Mrs. William Matis, of 111 Scott street.

Lieut. Matis was awarded the Purple Heart medal for wounds he received while in action in Germany last January. He was also awarded another medal for group combat duty.

Lieut. Matis, who has been serving in the army for more than five years, is now recuperating in a hospital in England.

What People Say

(International News Service)

NEW YORK—Mayor F. H. LaGuardia's reaction to President Roosevelt's endorsement of the mid-night entertainment curfew: "He is running the country. I'm just running the city."

WASHINGTON—War Food Administrator Marvin Jones on the much-criticized food shortages: "No one has gone hungry in this country and no one is going hungry."

NEW YORK—Dean Virginia C. Gildersleeve of Barnard College, only woman delegate to the San Francisco world security conference urges "right atmosphere" for reception of foreign delegates: "Let us especially beg the headline writers to emphasize constructive achievements rather than minor difficulties."

WASHINGTON—Herbert H. Lehman, director of the United Nations relief and rehabilitation administration, estimates domestic effect of granting UNRRA requests for second quarter of 1945: "One pound out of every 350 of the U. S. civilian supply would go to war victims in Europe."

LAWRENCE CARAVAN TO MEET TONIGHT

Lawrence Caravan No. 15, of the Pittsburgh Shrine, will have their monthly meeting in The Cathedral, this evening, President Howard S. Duff announced today.

Plans for future activities will be discussed at this meeting.

Memorial Day Group To Meet

Plans For Coming Celebration And Election Of Officers To Take Place Monday

Election of officers and the outlining of plans for the annual observance of Memorial Day will take place at a meeting called for Monday evening at 7:30 o'clock in the Legion Home.

Because of the fact that all organizations were not represented at the meeting held last week, no definite action was taken, and it is hoped by the general committee that all organizations will be represented at this meeting.

Great Way to relieve stuffiness, invite Sleep

if nose fills up

Tonight

It's wonderful how a little Va-tro-nol up each nostril relieves stuffy transient congestion. Also relieves distress of head colds! Follow directions in folder.

VICKS VA-TRO-NOL

Ann Sutton Dresses

Checked Gingham \$7.98

So much fashion for so little! Crisp, clean looking casual cottons in checks you'll enjoy day-in day-out thru summer! Well made dresses . . . convertible neckline and generous pockets with button trim. Sizes 10 to 20.



Jersey Stripe \$10.98

Cool candy stripes . . . a hit anywhere — anytime! Eye-catching gay stripes . . . rayon jersey to see you through long summer days and nights smartly. Made with the new short sleeves, ties at the neckline . . . sheds wrinkles and keeps you bandbox fresh. Sizes 12 to 20.

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That extra dress you need right now should be an Ann Sutton jersey in gay spring like floral print. These require no pressing or pampering . . . a wear everywhere dress you'll enjoy now through summer. These are well tailored and finished with fine detail . . . beautiful flower like buttons and tie belt. Sizes 10 to 20.



Shipment of Floral Cotton Prints Has Arrived!

No Phone Orders—Two Dress Length Per Customer, 59c

Sgt. Tommy Lynch In English Hospital

Sergeant Thomas Lynch, son of City Detective Lynch of Atlantic avenue, has been hospitalized in England for trench foot suffered during exposure in battle in Belgium, January 15. He was reported as a casualty today in war department releases.

Before being hospitalized this time he was hospitalized twice previous because of wounds. He served as a machine gunner with the First Army.

Pvt. John Covert Arrives From Italy

Pvt. John L. Covert has arrived home from Italy, after serving 26 months of active duty overseas. For the past six months, he served with the 85th Infantry Division.

He is now spending a 30 day furlough with his wife, Mrs. Stella Covert, and his baby son, whom he has seen for the first time, and also his parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Covert, R. D. 5.

Sara Bagley of Boston was the first woman telegraph operator.

Residents' Nephew Sends Home Medal

Mr. and Mrs. George Johnston, of 329 1/2 Boyles avenue, have received word from their nephew, Pvt. Raymond W. Stevenson, and also his medal of the Purple Heart.

Pvt. Stevenson was wounded in action, January 16, 1945, in the Belgium war area.

He is attached to the infantry, and joined the armed forces in June, 1944. Pvt. Stevenson has been overseas since December.

Try The News Want Ads For Results

Springs Youngest

Girls' Coats \$8.98 to \$16.95

Loveable fashions for the young miss to wear in the Easter parade and after. Fresh as the spring flowers in gay plaids or plain colors of copen, aqua, red and dusty rose. Well tailored coats in fitted or box styles, some with contrasting trim. Sizes 3 to 6.

Infants' Coats \$8.95

For the tiny tot . . . pastel coats fashioned from soft wool fabrics and designed in adorable style to flatter the darlings. Double breasted styles, some with collars and button trim in pink, blue, orchid and aqua.

Infants Handmade Dresses \$2.98

Hand embroidered bastiste dresses for the babies Easter frock. Plain hem or scallop bottom, some with collars or scallop neck . . . exquisitely made and easily laundered.

Bonnets to match, \$1.59

Children's Panties 69c
Sizes 1 to 6
White, Tealose, with Elastic

Little Girls' Blouses \$1.59-\$1.98

Dainty little blouses for the dainty little miss to team with suspender skirts. Some tailored, some with ruffle trim or touches of embroidery and peasant trim . . . all 100% wool fabric. Sizes 2 to 6 1/2

Girls' Slips \$1.69

Beautiful rayon satin slips with ruffle bottom and dainty embroidered design in front . . . she'll be proud to wear under her Easter dress. Sizes 2 to 6.

Chubby Coats \$16.95-\$19.95

As gay as the young lives they are made for and colorful as the first Easter tulips . . . these chubby coats made with excellent style for the girl who requires this size. Box styles and belted back styles fashioned of 100% wool fabric, tailored superbly with new lapels and pockets. Colors: Light blue, red, maize and green. Sizes 8 1/2 to 14 1/2.

Margaret O'Brien Jerkin \$8.95

The cleverest Jerkin suit designed by Margaret O'Brien in a rich plaid top with a plain red pleated skirt. Slick fitting sleeveless plaid Jerkin in combination of red and navy with white background . . . all 100% wool fabric. Sizes 7 to 14.

Girls' Blouses \$1.98 to \$3.98

New blouses to dress up your suit . . . in drawstring style, peasant styles, Peter Pan collars . . . long or short sleeves in cotton and rayon. White with color, all white and plaids. Sizes 7 to 14.

Girls' Panties 59c-69c

The rayon panties you have been looking for some with elastic back and some elastic all around, well made for long wearing. White and tealose. Sizes 3 to 14.

French Panty with lace, 89c



The Easter Parade and Underneath It All—

The alluring and intimate charm of a luxurious foundation to accent the beauty of this year's feminine apparel. Model shown, smooth tealose satin with synthetic side panels for sleek contour and control.

W and B Foundation

\$12.50

Alleged Informer Assassinated In Camden By Gang

CAMDEN, N. J., March 23.—(INS).—Romeo DeSanctis, alleged "finger man" in a \$4000 roadhouse hold-up, was the fatal victim of his informer's role today—a fusillade of lead from a sub-machine gun punctuating testimony he had given as a state's witness to a grand jury a few hours before.

The small-time racketeer who became the state's star informant against three gangsters accused of participating in the daring masked robbery of the Casablanca roadhouse near Camden last month, was moved down as he sat in the front seat of an expensive car in Camden.

The belching snout of a machine gun from a speeding limousine passing the car in which he was sitting spelled the vengeance of gangdom, nearly ripping off the top of the victim's head. A companion in the death car, Leon Grenkiewicz, 28, also was felled by the deadly volley.

Camden County Prosecutor Gene Mariano who visited the hospital where DeSanctis was brought, declared: "That man lies dead there because he testified before the grand jury today."

Two other men are being sought for the roadhouse holdup. The quiet, wearing masks and carrying pistols and sub-machine guns, stormed the roadhouse and robbed the reveling patrons, escaping in DeSanctis' automobile.

Mine Wage Parley Is Marking Time

Intervention By Government Is Apparently Awaited In Deadlocked Negotiations

WASHINGTON, March 23.—(INS).—Bituminous operators and the United Mine Workers Union marked time today, awaiting government intervention in the deadlocked negotiations for a new wage contract in the soft coal fields.

Although the 16-member joint scale committee has been unable to make any progress for the past two days, neither side is willing to assume the blame for "breaking up" the collective bargaining discussions and formally inviting federal aid.

Charles O'Neill of Altoona, Pa., president of central Pennsylvania producers, reported that the wage parley had been unable to make any progress and this apparently was intended as the signal for the government to act.

Secretary of Labor Frances Perkins may make a personal attempt to reconcile the parties before certifying the case to the War Labor board for settlement.

The negotiations, which began March 1 with the presentation of UMW President John L. Lewis' 18 demands, reportedly reached a stalemate over the union leader's proposal for a 10-cent-a-ton royalty on coal for medical care and "economic protection" of miners.

Elmer Barrymore was Lady Menck's understudy when the latter, as Elsie de Wolfe, was appearing in the play 30 years ago.



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Pfc. Ernest Biasucci Awarded Bronze Star

WITH THE FIFTH ARMY, Italy. —Pfc. Ernest P. Biasucci, New Castle, Pa., member of a 14-man machine gun section which fought its way into an assigned position and converted a barn into a strong point, has been awarded the Bronze Star for heroic achievement in action.

For four days and nights, Biasucci

and his comrades resisted all attempts to drive them from their positions. On the fourth night their barn was set ablaze by tracer fire and they were forced to make a withdrawal through vicious enemy fire. Taking refuge in a house, the exhausted men set up their guns again, to answer the enemy fire.

On the fifth day, a combat patrol was able to fight its way to them, and supply them with food and ammunition. Pfc. Biasucci is the son of Mrs. Mary Biasucci, 302½ East Long avenue, New Castle, Pa.

Lt. Edward Porada Slightly Wounded

Mrs. Betty Porada, of 305 South Ray street, has been informed by her husband, Second Lt. Edward Porada, that he was slightly wounded February 19 while on a mission over Tokyo, Japan.

Lt. Porada, a co-pilot on a B-29 Superfortress, has been awarded the Purple Heart Medal for his wounds.

He has made several missions over the Japanese home islands.

In a recent telephone call to his wife from a rest camp at Honolulu, Hawaii, Lt. Porada states he is getting along fine and will soon return to combat duty.

The Venetian government during the war with Turkey in 1963, allowed war communiques to be read only in public places to which admission was a coin called a gazette. Communiques came to be called gazettes. Thus newspapers got the name gazette.

Bolt To Address Executives Club

Traveler And News Commentator Will Be Last Speaker Of Year Before Dinner Club

Don Bolt, newspaperman, traveler, news analyst, and commentator will be the next speaker of the Executives Club, at their last meet-

ing of the season in The Castleton, Tuesday evening, April 3.

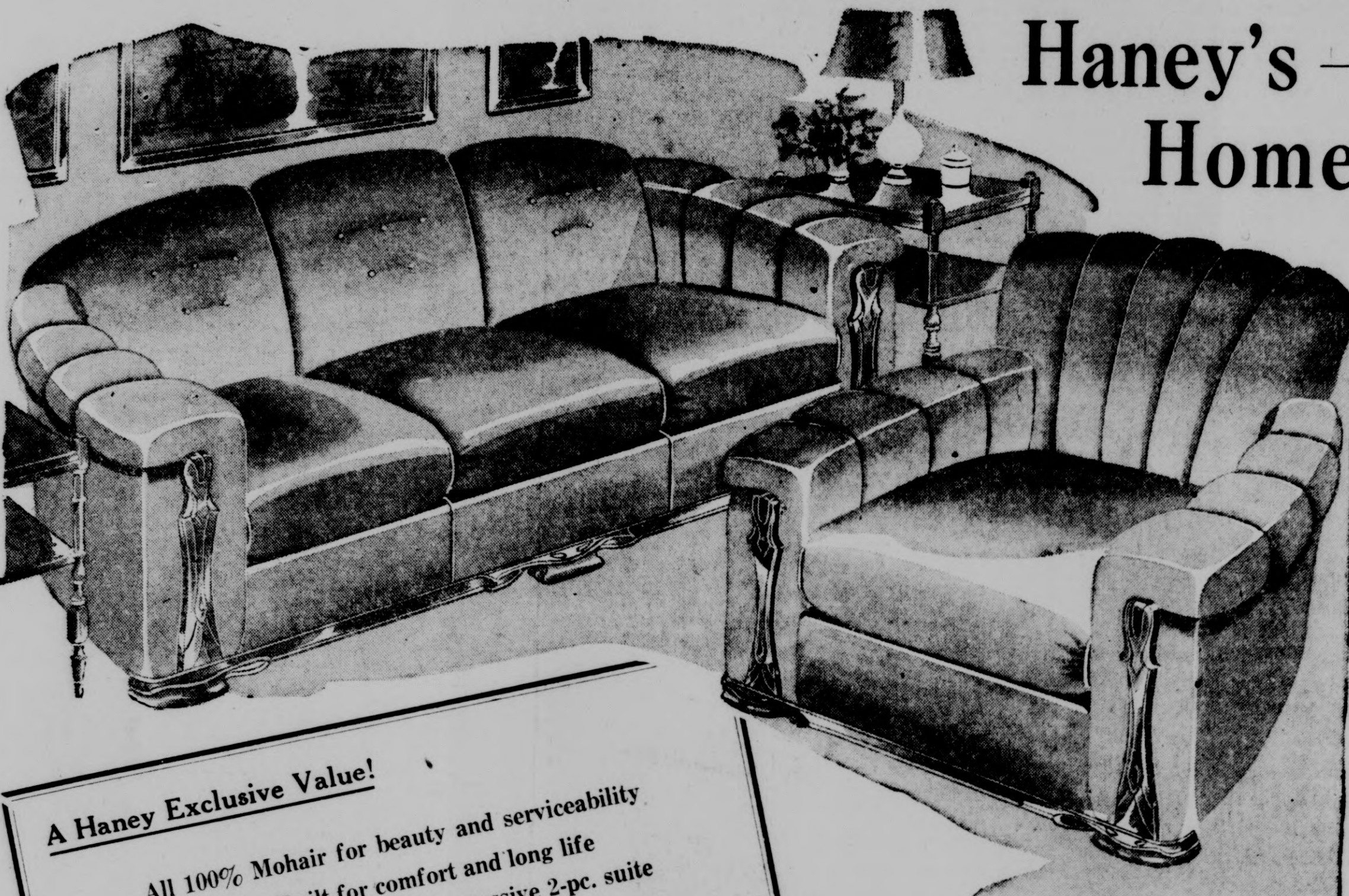
Mr. Bolt will speak on the subject, "The Third World War," and many will be interested in hearing his views on this subject. Election of officers for next year will take place at this time, it is announced.

In the past three years, Mr. Bolt has traveled extensively in the western hemisphere in a survey of Inter-American affairs.

Salvaged cartridge cases will now be used to make pennies for America.

POULLER BREAKS GAS MAIN GLASSPORT, Pa., March 23.—(INS).—Work crews of the Peoples Natural Gas company today were repairing the damage caused when a 25-ton boulder crashed from a hillside in Glassport and cut an exposed 12-inch gas main.

Vital gas production was reported held up for several hours and the gas supply of 3,000 consumers in Glassport, part of Clairton and West Elizabeth was cut off for eight hours yesterday when the huge rock plunged from a bluff overlooking the Glassport-Elizabeth road.



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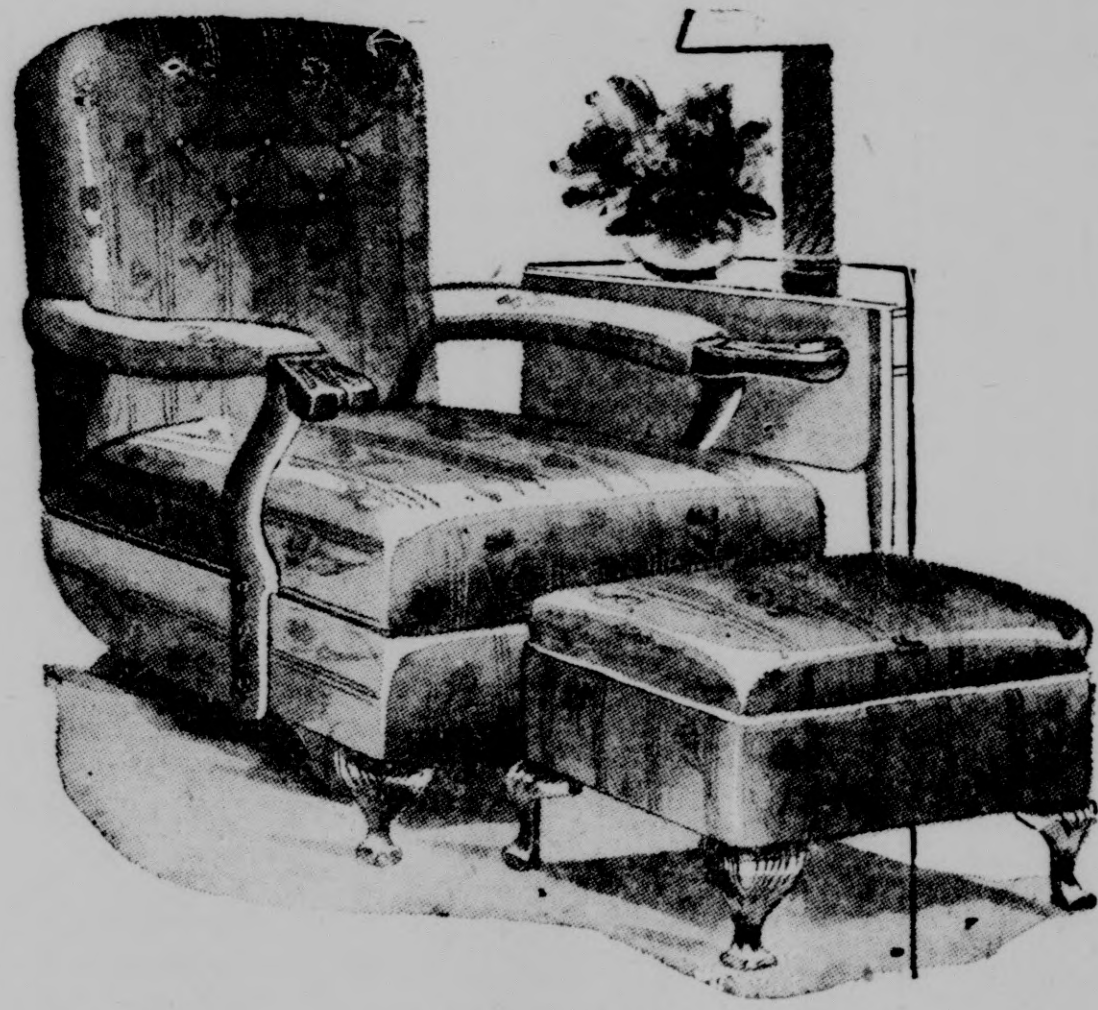
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Attractive pottery based table lamps with rayon shades. Plain or decorated. You'll like the large assortment of table lamps at Haney's.



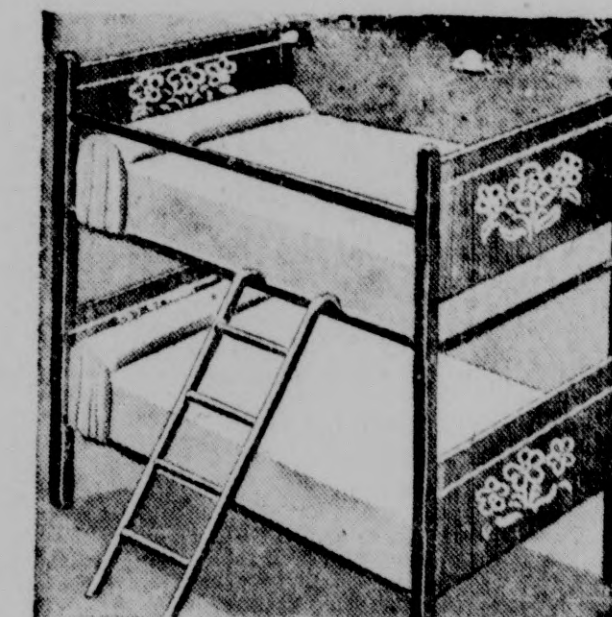
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Full Size Bed, Large Chest, Choice of Dresser or
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When you visit Haney's Bedroom display, be sure to see this beautiful modern group in fine walnut veneers. The mirrors are simply wonderful, so large and so clear. They will make a small room seem larger! Even a comfortable mattress and full coil spring are included at this low Haney price.

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All Steel Bunk Beds

May be used as shown or separately as twin beds. Neat walnut finish. This low price includes the ladder and guard rail.

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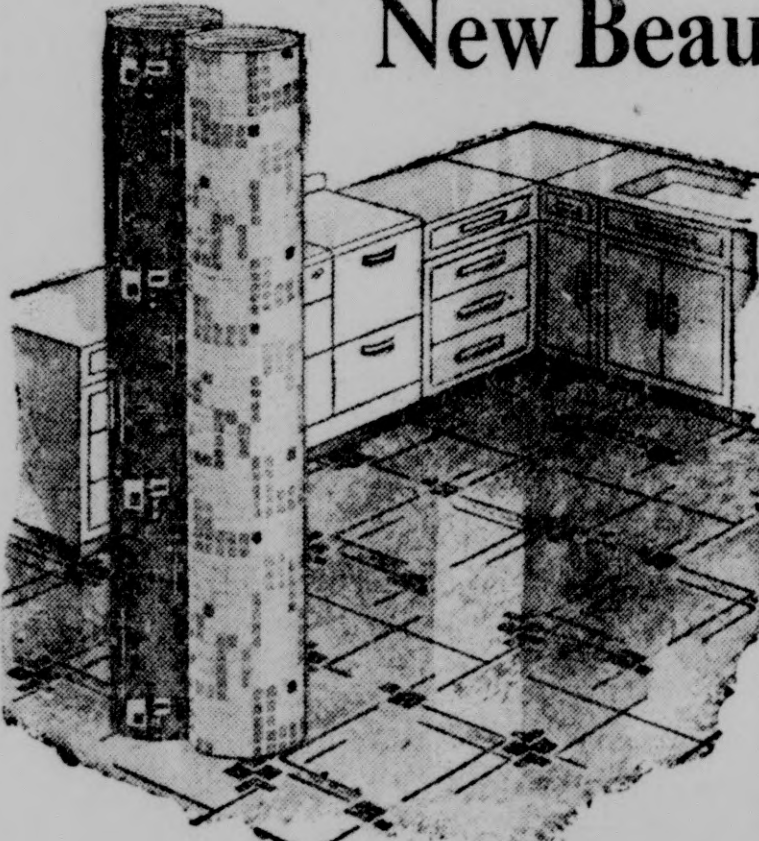


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The table and the four chairs are all yours at this attractive price. Has a styling that will instantly appeal to you. A well made dinette of real merit. Clearance price

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Now is the time to select your linoleum for the spring. A large selection of the newest patterns.

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CLOVER FARM PURE CIDER VINEGAR ... qt. bottle 19¢

SCULLY'S CITRUS MARMALADE 2 lb. jar 23¢

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CLOVER FARM PORK and BEANS No. 2 cans 18¢

HURFF TOMATO SOUP 20 oz. can 15¢

SCOTT CO. DICED CARROTS 16 oz. jar 10¢

CLOVER FARM TOMATO JUICE No. 2 can (20 Pts.) 2 for 23¢

CLOVER FARM FANCY TOMATOES No. 2 can (30 Pts.) 15¢

FRIDAY AND SATURDAY PRODUCE SPECIALS

California Oranges ... doz. 35¢

Pascal Celery Hearts, bunch 20¢

Fresh Tomatoes lb. 35¢

Green Onions ... 2 bunches 19¢

New Cabbage lb. 5¢

COCO WHEATS pkg. 25¢

CLOVER FARM ROLLED OATS 20 oz. pkg. 2 for 25¢

CLOVER FARM PANCAKE FLOUR 20 oz. pkg. 10¢

CLOVER FARM NEW WAY CLEANER pkg. 12¢

CLOVER FARM GLOSS STARCH 1 lb. pkg. 9¢

G.I. Gets Tough On Rhine Front

Friendliness Changes To Fury Or Cold Indifference Against Germans

By LARRY NAWMAN
(U.S. Staff Correspondent)

WITH THE U. S. THIRD ARMY, Germany, March 23.—The American fighting man on the third army front is a changed person from the amiable G.I. of a few weeks ago.

His experiences have transformed his normal Yank disposition of open friendliness to one of cold fury against the soldiers of the German Wehrmacht.

And his feeling is evident in the fact that he is fighting the Germans with that same cold, efficient fury.

Nazis Get Fooled

Any Nazi prisoner who expected to cross the lines with his hands in the air and get United States cigarettes and a lot of conversation got badly fooled.

And German civilians are finding that American doughboys is not the simple oaf Nazi propagandists described.

During the last few days of the sensational dash of the third army to the Rhine, there has been an almost jovial spirit encountered among the civilians in the captured towns. They have been free to express their happiness that the allies have arrived and that it means the end of air attacks against their towns and cities.

But they are getting no different treatment from the Americans than if they had fought and sniped as Gestapo Chief Heinrich Himmler had ordered them to do.

Take What Is Left

The doughboys and the members of the allied military government treat them with cold indifference. Billets are commandeered for the American soldiers and the Germans can take what is left.

There is a rapidly growing feeling along the western front that today our armies are able to go just about anywhere they wish.

Apparently there are a lot of Germans who feel the same way for the windows across the Rhine from the Coblenz area are flying white flags. Evidently they expect the Yanks to be over there in a very short time.

It is the opinion of many aggressive military leaders along the western front that now is the time to slug the Germans at every point.

Finds Women Are Anxious To Marry

Over 50 Women Answer Ad In Paper For Wife. Man Has Three Children, Too

STONEHAM, Mass., March 23.—(INS)—Basil Anthony Trasker is 47, divorced, has been jobless since Christmas and has three children, yet 50 women want to marry him.

Unable to go wooing because he has to be mother, father and housekeeper for his children, Trasker inserted an advertisement for a wife in the newspaper the other day.

From Boston back bay society divorcees, school teachers, business women, 20-year-old girls and 80-year-old grandmothers, offers poured in on Trasker.

Trasker is studying their qualifications but doesn't know which to favor.

"I'm following up with a lovely voice over the phone," he said. "I didn't know there were so many lonely people in the world."

One 70-year-old woman even tempted Trasker with descriptions of two country estates and two cars.

PHONEY DISAPPEARANCE

LONDON, March 23.—(INS)—The London Daily Express printed a dispatch from Bern today saying that many German officers and prominent Nazi officials were disappearing under the cover of sham funerals and turning up later in Spain and Argentina.

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Boys' Broadcloth Dress Shirts 1.29

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Girls' Spring Anklets, pastel colors29

Small Girls' Cotton Dresses 1.29

Men's Tan Rain Jackets 1.98

Ladies' Net Work Caps25

Boys' Knit Tee Shirts 1.00

Ladies' Cotton House Dresses 2.99

Men's Wool Felt Hats 1.98

Ladies' Blue Work Coveralls 3.98

Men's Elastic Suspenders 1.00

FISHERS

DRESS UP FOR EASTER

Easter—just can't be Easter without new Spring outfits. Right now we have the largest selection of men's, ladies', boys' and girls' Easter clothes in our history. We are short on some items . . . but as a whole, we have large selections. Don't delay it . . . do your Easter shopping . . . Saturday.

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LIGHT WEIGHT SPRING HATS!

LIGHT!
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3.95

Soft light weight hats with a regular sized brim and well edge. The well edge helps the hat keep its shape. Most stores sell this quality hat for 5.00.

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NARROW BAND
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Light weight narrow band and snap brim. You can't get more style at any price. Compare the quality with most 5.00 hats.

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Soft, light, deluxe quality rabbits fur felt hats. It won't take you long to choose your hat when you see our large selection.

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TWO-WAY COLLAR SPORT SHIRTS

White! Oyster Tan!
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Beautiful soft, rich, plain colors, perfect tailoring, silk like cloths. New 2-way collars, all combine to give you a shirt that is tops in comfort and good looks. The cloths are all pretested for washability, shrinkage and fading. Come in and see our grand selection.

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All our tots' coats and suits are made in bright colors, styled for a gay young spring. We still have a large selection in sizes 3 to 6½.

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Reduced from 1.98. Side button jerkin and a pleated skirt. New small check pattern. 1.98

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Small Girls' Rayon Panties . . . 49

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Smart looking grand wearing 2-piece suits for small boys 3 to 8. Tweeds or plain colors. 6.98

TWEED TOPCOATS He'll be ready for Easter in real style, wearing one of these man tailored top coats. Bright tweed cloths. Sizes 3 to 8. Cap to match 1.00. 7.98

SPORT COATS Made just like Dads. A bright plaid sport coat for boys 4 to 10. 5.98

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NEW SPRING SWEATERS Plaids! Plain colors! or 2-tones! Button fronts or Pullovers. Just the right weight for early spring wear. For boys 4 to 14. 1.98

SATURDAY IS "BOYS SUIT" DAY

BOYS' 100% WOOL EASTER SUITS

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Sizes 6 to 18

We've large selections of handsome suits in Tweeds or Suing cloths, also the new Leisure Coat outfits with contrasting slacks. Outfits that will send him off proudly to greet the best dresses holiday of the year. Sizes 6 to 18.

SPORT COATS OR LEISURE COATS Sport Coats and Leisure Coats are sure sweeping the country. We have large selections for boys 4 to 10 and 10 to 18. 9.98

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Tweeds or dark neat suiting cloths. Well made rugged long pants for boys 6 to 14.

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Aluminum Co. Chief Clerk Is Accorded Honor

Associates Have Dinner Party For
John W. Huff On 25th Anni-
versary With Company

Silver jubilees may serve to accentuate the passage of time, but they also serve as a vehicle for the expression of good will. The pleasure in the latter usually obliterates any thought of the former. So it was Thursday night, March 22, when 53 employees of the accounting department of the New Castle plant, Aluminum Company of America honored John W. Huff, chief clerk of the plant with a dinner and party in New Wilmington.

Twenty-five years ago March 16, 1920, Mr. Huff started his employment with the Aluminum Company of America and in 1942 was sent to New Castle to become the chief clerk of the plant opened here. Something had to be done about the anniversary and the accounting employees did it, but well.

Following the service of the dinner, William H. Haley took over as master of ceremonies. In approved "emcee" style Mr. Haley tossed off a few bon mots, recalled Mr. Huff's long service with the company and introduced Hugh J. Morrison, former plant manager at New Castle but now manager of the forge plant in Cleveland, O.

Mr. Morrison paid tribute to Mr. Huff's long and competent service, expressed his pleasure at having been associated with the New Castle plant, and congratulated the employees for their thoughtfulness in remembering Mr. Huff's anniversary.

H. Gill Brown was then introduced; Mr. Brown was a pinch hitter for Assistant Chief Clerk A. J. Slaver who was ill, but like the fictional pinch hitter in baseball came through with a homer with the bases loaded. After a few remarks Mr. Brown presented Mr. Huff with an overnight bag and a box of cigars. Mr. Huff responded and like all persons who are thus honored was a trifle at a loss for words. But the meaning was there.

Following the dinner the crowd had a session of pep singing with Miss Helen Villani at the piano and cards followed. Special guests were Mrs. John W. Huff, wife of the gentleman honored, Mrs. Alfred

Maner, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Huff and Mrs. H. Gill Brown. The committee in charge consisted of H. Gill Brown, chairman, Mildred Parfitt, Eleanor Ridley, Russell B. McNickle, Virginia Kerber, George E. Strehler and Dorothy Patton.

STATE SEEKS TO LIMIT WEIGHT OF TRACTOR-TRAILERS

HARRISBURG, March 23.—(INS)—Senate passage of the House-approved "Bill Truck Bill" which would make permanent maximum 45,000-pound gross weights for tractor-trailer combinations was urged today by the Pennsylvania Automotive association.

"Trade barriers which are injurious to the public welfare in wartime are equally obnoxious in peacetime, and this is our opportunity to eliminate the number one transportation bottleneck of the industrial northeast," the association said.

Confusion Reigns Over Closing Hour

Patrons Of New York Saloons Are
Bewildered By Latest Move
By Mayor La Guardia

NEW YORK, March 23.—(INS)—The patrons of New York City's saloons, plain and fancy today struggled with a hangover of confusion as the result of Mayor F. H. LaGuardia's latest message on the midnight curfew.

Broadcasting to the nation as well as the city last night, the mayor declared that not only may licensed liquor establishments which have no entertainment stay open until one a. m., but there was nothing to prevent them from doing business until four a. m.

Neither the city, state nor federal governments, he said, could stop the

ordinary neighborhood bar, of which there are thousands in New York, from staying open until four o'clock under present laws.

The effects of his statement were not immediately apparent today, but most of the city's better known establishments remained true to War Mobilizer James F. Byrnes' "request" for a midnight curfew. Some still took advantage of the mayor's "hour of tolerance," serving drinks until one a. m. despite the fact that servicemen, by Army and Navy order, were forced to leave at midnight. None as yet showed the intention of going the limit until four a. m., under the present state law.

The gist of LaGuardia's defense of his hour of tolerance was that it was designed to relieve the "big vehicular and pedestrian jam" which funnels into New York streets at midnight.

A vaccine has been developed which prevents whooping cough in many cases and reduces the severity of others.

Need For Medical Technicians In WAC

Local Recruiting Proves Satisfactory
According To Recruiting
Officer

Sgt. Jeannette Sheets, WAC local recruiting officer, stated that the recruitment for WAC medical technicians is satisfactory, but many more will be needed to take care of the overseas casualties that are returning home at a rate of 3600 men a month.

The need is over and beyond any possible number of nurses available to the armed forces. The response has been successful, but there is still need for hospital WACs.

Before any WAC recruit goes on duty in a hospital, she has basic military training, at least six weeks of technical trainings, and receives

another month of applicatory training on the job. It is a hard course and one that is, of necessity, crowded into the least possible number of weeks. But the course is 270 hours of technical training, under a faculty of medical officers, nurses and

competent enlisted instructors so that the WAC is prepared to take her place as a soldier technician in an army hospital, if she enlists with the determination to be of service. With the 270 hours of technical instruction go 30 hours of physical

conditioning, Army orientation, and familiarization with the Army Medical Department.

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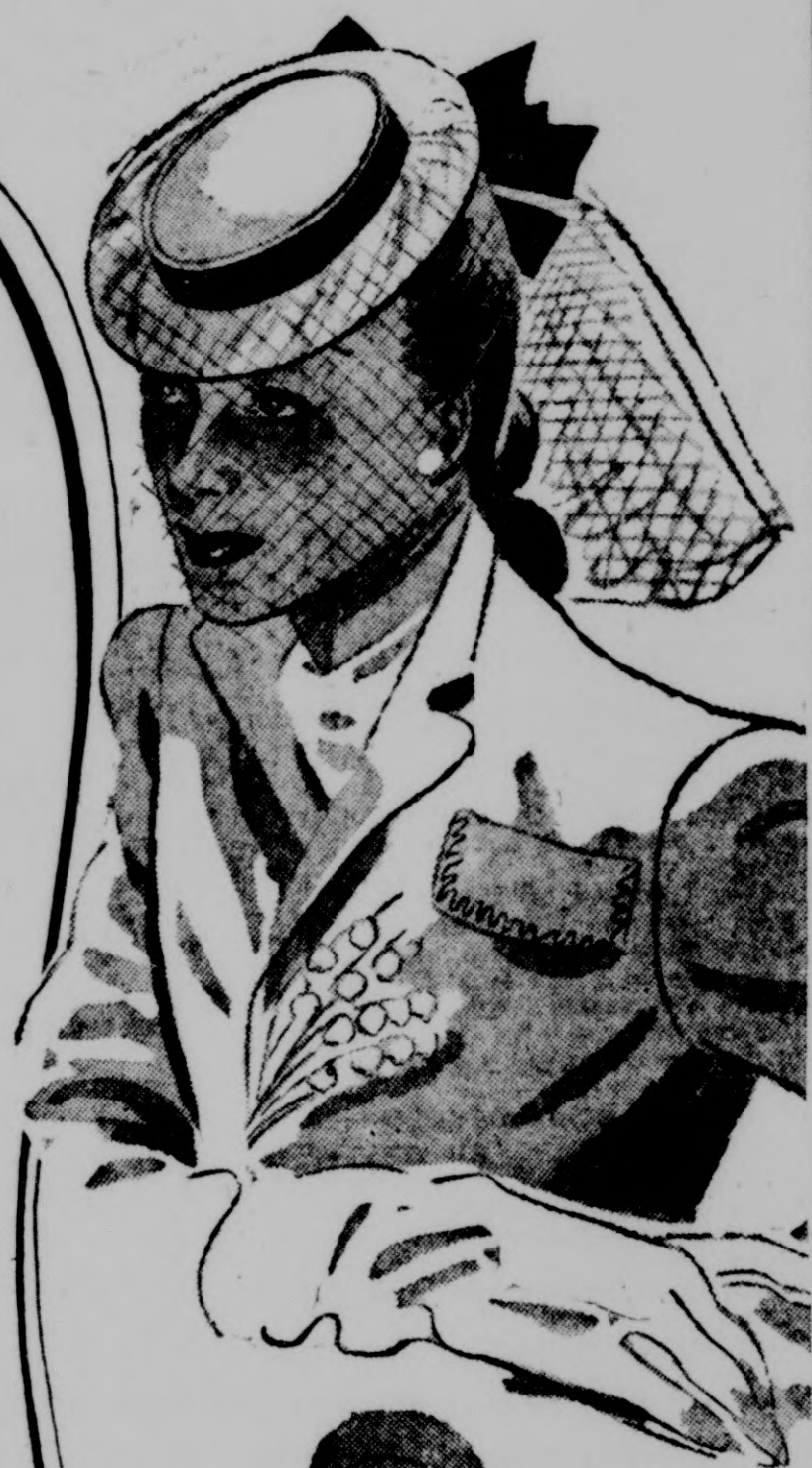
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2 cups Country Club Flour, sifted
2 teaspoons baking powder
1 teaspoon Country Club Salt
4 tablespoons shortening
About 2/3 cup milk

Mix and roll dough into thin rectangular shape. Spread with orange marmalade. Roll as for jelly roll. Slice roll in 1-in. widths. Place one in each well-greased muffin tin. Bake in hot oven (425°) about 20 minutes. Yield: 12 to 18 biscuits.

SALT . . . 4-lb. 8c
Jack Frost.
BLAND LARD . . . 1-lb. 18c
Swift's.
MARMALADE . . . 12-oz. 14c
Mott's Orange.
KARO SYRUP . . . 24-oz. 15c
Blue Label.
PURE HONEY . . . 1-lb. 29c
White Clover.
COCOA MARSH . . . 16-oz. 22c
Chocolate milk booster.
RAVIOLI . . . 16-oz. 15c
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SPAG. DINNER . . . 25c
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MACARONI . . . 3-lb. 29c
And Spaghetti. Mayfair Club.

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Grapefruit Juice . . . 46-oz. 30c

Apple Butter . . . 32-oz. 24c

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IN U. S. ARMED SERVICE

(War Censorship Regulations Limit Information Allowed in This Column)

Pfc. Edward S. Gibson has returned to an eastern port after a 15-day furlough here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Gibson of 1120 South Mill street.

Word has been received here that S-Sgt. Robert P. McCann of 1208 Albert street has received the Bronze Star for meritorious achievement in action. S-Sgt. McCann is with an infantry division of the First Army somewhere in Germany.

Pvt. Frank J. Bocek, who has been stationed at Camp Wheeler, Ga., is spending a 10-day furlough with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Anthony Bocek, of 12 Magee street. At the close of his visit he will report to Ft. Meade, Md. for reassignment.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Fritz, Fairmont avenue, have received word from Mr. and Mrs. John M. Jones, Easton, their nephew and niece, that their son, Sgt. James Jones, infantry, who was captured by Germans in Belgium, has been freed from a prison camp by the Russians. The word came from the War Department several days ago.

Pvt. Carl Cialella Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. Carl Cialella of Phillips street, has been transferred from Camp Wheeler, Ga., to Camp Croft, S. C. He is attached to the infantry.

Cpl. Al Morella, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Morella of 301 Taylor street, has arrived here to spend a 15-day furlough at his home. He is stationed at Drew Field, Tampa, Fla. Another son, Thomas Morella, is located in France.

Robert E. McConaghy, son of Mrs. R. H. McConaghy of 217 North Mulberry street, has been promoted to first lieutenant. First Lieut. McConaghy left the States about the first of January and is now serving in the Pacific area.

Mrs. Clarence E. Patterson of R. D. 6, Butler road, has received word that her husband, Pvt. Clarence E. Patterson, has arrived in France. He entered the service last May. A brother, T-Sgt. Russell C. Patterson, is now stationed at Chanute Field, Ill., with the A.A.F. They are the sons of A. W. Patterson of 928 Marshall avenue.

Sgt. Thomas A. Fazzone, son of Mrs. Mary Fazzone, 708 Canyon street, has been serving in the European Theater of Operations for 15 months, with the Combat Support Wing, crack trucking organization of the Air Service Command. His base is an Air Service Command Station somewhere in England.

Mrs. Clarabelle Saxton, 632 John street, has received word that her husband, T-5 Herbert U. Saxton Jr., has arrived safely in France.

Staff Sgt. Michael Cerrell has returned to his duties in the Hawaiian Islands after spending a 30-day furlough with his wife, Mrs. Lucy Cerrell, 104 Center street. Prior to this furlough, he has served overseas for 36 months.

Working in an ordnance depot in the shadow of a large palace formerly occupied by French kings, Staff Sgt. John E. Montgomery, grandson of Mr. and Mrs. Frank E. Smith, R. D. 1, New Castle, is helping repair M-29 cargo carriers, popularly known as the "Weasels". S-Sgt. Montgomery serves with an ordnance battalion which has been overseas since last September rebuilding "Weasels" and huge 40-ton M-25 tank transporters. This is the only project of its kind in Europe, according to information from the outfit's headquarters.

Sgt. Anna Carra, daughter of Gino Carra, 14 Walnut street, returned yesterday to her station in Fort Belvoir, Virginia, after spending her furlough at her home in New Castle. Sergeant Carra was sworn into the WAC in February, 1943, and took her basic military

training at Daytona Beach, Fla., after which she attended administration specialist school at Daytona. From there she was sent to Fort Belvoir where she was assigned to the personnel office of the officer candidate school, and is in charge of the morning report section. Sergeant Carra graduated from Union High school, Union township, and was employed at the Shenango Pottery company previous to her enlistment in the Women's Army Corps.

Li. Kenneth E. Enoch, 26 has returned to the United States after completing 50 missions from Italy as bombardier on the B-24 Liberator bomber "Bottoms Up," according to an announcement from the Miami Army Air Field in Florida. Li. Enoch is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Evan Enoch, 1820 East Washington street. His wife lives at the same address.

William D. Richards, S-2-c, 461 Neshannock avenue, has completed his recruit training at the Naval Training Center at Sampson, N. Y., and has been granted leave.

S-Sgt. Jack E. Reese, son of Mr. and Mrs. William S. Reese, 612 Spruce street, helped Brig. Gen. Warren R. Carter's troop carrier command write a new chapter in aerial transport operations by participating in one of the first flights of his unit into recently invaded Philippine Islands, according to information from headquarters of the Fifth Air Force in the Pacific. Staff Sergeant Reese, a radio operator, has been overseas for 14 months, during which he has flown more than 900 hours for a total of 228 combat missions.

Pvt. Leonard C. Pittochi, 203 North Cedar street, and his fellow soldiers of an Air Service Command Depot, England, have received high praise from their commanding officer for setting an all-time record in 1944 by sending into action more than 7,500 front-line aircraft. A soldier since February, 1943, Pvt. Pittochi has been overseas for 12 months. His wife, Mrs. Helen Pittochi, lives at the Cedar street address.

Flight Officer John W. Glenn, whose wife lives at 927 Warren avenue, recently arrived at a Strategic Air Force station in England, and received a brief orientation course to help him adjust himself to life in a combat zone.

Pfc. Donald E. Withers, son of Mr. and Mrs. Walter E. Withers, 1202 Highland avenue, is stationed at an Air Service Command depot in England which handles 1,100 tons

of vital aircraft parts and equipment daily. A crane operator at this depot, Pfc. Withers has a brother, Walter E. Withers, RM 3-c, serving somewhere in the Pacific.

Mr. and Mrs. Philip Reese, of 408 North street, have received word that their son, Pvt. Dale D. Grim, has arrived from overseas and is confined to the Halloran General Hospital, New York.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward G. Bollard of 518 Garfield avenue, have received word that their son, First Lieutenant Edward R. Bollard of the Fourth Marines, has been wounded in the fighting on Iwo Jima.

Apparently the wound was not a serious one as Lt. Bollard has written his parents concerning it and in addition they have heard from Chaplain John Galbreath, son of President and Mrs. Robert F. Galbreath of Westminster College who is with the Marines on Iwo Jima.

Lieutenant Bollard is in the tank corps of the Marines and apparently was in one of the first waves of Marine tanks to hit the beach at Iwo Jima.

To settle any arguments as to what it costs to file a nomination in Lawrence county you will find below the list of filing fees that

must be paid before your name can be placed upon the ballot.

For judge the fee is \$35. For county wide candidates other than judge, \$25; for city wide offices, \$10; for boros and township officers, \$2; aldermen and justices of the peace, \$2; auditor, \$1; road supervisor, \$1; election board officials, 50 cents; tax collector, \$2; jury commissioner, \$10; county assessors, \$2. School directors and county surveyor file free.

45 CITIZENSHIP APPLICATIONS
Approximately 45 applications for final papers will be filed in this county. The naturalization court finished Thursday and these applications now come up for final hearing.

PETITION DISMISSED
In the equity suit filed by Philip W. Schaffer and Regina his wife, Ivan C. Schaffer and Fred Schaffer against Everett V. Martin, Judge John G. Lamoree has dismissed the petition with the costs of the case placed upon the plaintiff.

It was stated that on October 19, 1942, the defendant made an agreement with the plaintiff to sell a

farm of 170 acres in Washington township to the defendant and that \$2000 was paid down, with other payments being made later. The plaintiff avers that the agreement was not a final agreement and now asks that the agreement be nullified and the money returned.

In his opinion Judge Lamoree said there is an adequate remedy at law without the case being one of equity, and refused the petition.

COMING TO CONFERENCE
LONDON, March 23.—(INS)—Four of Britain's political figures will head that nation's representatives to the San Francisco conference. Prime Minister Winston Churchill announced to Commons today.

They will be Foreign Secretary Anthony Eden, Deputy Prime Minister Clement L. Attlee, Dominion Secretary Viscount Cranborne and British ambassador to Washington Lord Halifax.

over million men discharged from service in army

WASHINGTON, March 23.—(INS)—The war department announced that 1,195,000 enlisted men have been honorably discharged from the army since the beginning of the war. Losses from all causes, including the discharges, total 1,716,000.

The losses include 172,000 officers and men who died in battle or from

other causes, 26,000 officers honorably discharged bringing the total of honorably prisoners of war and missing and 191,000 other separations. The last named category includes men placed on inactive status, personnel given discharges other than honorable, retirements of regular army personnel and other miscellaneous separations.

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Cpl. Thos. E. O'Neill Killed On Iwo Jima

Receive Word New Castle Marine
Lost His Life In Battle
On February 20

Mrs. and Mrs. Edward C. O'Neill, of the Butler road Shenango township, received a telegram from Lt. General A. A. Vandergrift, commander of the United States Marine Corps Thursday March 22 informing them of the death of their son, Corporal Thomas E. O'Neill on Iwo Jima, February 20. It was the fourth invasion landing for Corporal O'Neill. Previously he had made the landing on Roi Namur, Saipan and Tinian. In the action on Saipan and Tinian he was wounded and had been awarded the Purple Heart with an oak leaf. In addition, his unit had received the presidential citation. He was a Ranger with the Fourth Marine Division.

Corporal O'Neill was born in New Castle, May 14, 1922. He attended the Shenango township schools, graduating from the high school in the class of 1941. In his high school days he was a member of the football team.

Following his graduation he was employed by the Pennsylvania Power Company and on August 17, 1942 enlisted in the Marines. He received his training at Parris Island, S. C., New River, N. C. and Newport, R. I. On January 13, 1944 he was sent to the South Pacific.

His division, the Fourth Marines, had been through some of the grimmest fighting of the war and from the telegram from the Marine Commandant it is assumed he was killed in the second day's fighting on Iwo Jima. He is survived by his parents.



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Phyllis Scungio Gets Promotion

Ensign Phyllis Scungio, of the U.S. Navy Nurses Corps, now stationed at St. Alban's hospital, N. Y., has been promoted to lieutenant (j.g.), according to a call received by her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Scungio, of 520 East Lutton street.

Lt. Scungio, formerly was supervisor of the fourth floor of the New Castle hospital, and has been in the

service for the past 20 months. On February 1, she was graduated from a psychiatry course in Washington, D.C., and upon completion of the course, received her promotion.

Her brother, s 3 c, Carl E. Scungio, stationed in the Southwest Pacific, also was promoted to T-M. 2 2/c. Petty Officer Scungio has been in the service for the past two years.

Furniture Ruined So Lions Depart; House Seems Quiet

NEW YORK, March 23.—(INS)—The three-room apartment of Mrs. Helen Martini, wife of the New York Zoological Park's lion-house keeper, was back to normal today after two lion cubs, a baby tiger and a young

panther she had reared from birth were taken to the zoo.

Within the last few days one of the tiger cubs had torn down most of the curtains in the apartment, the baby lions had chewed up an

easy chair and plenty other damage had been done.

"The house certainly seems quiet," quoth Mrs. Martini. "I hope the babies will like their new home."

The Connaught tunnel in Canada goes through the Selkirk mountains, under Rogers Pass. British Columbia, on the Canadian Pacific railway, is double track, and five miles long. It was completed in 1916.

Massachusetts new U. S. senator—Leverett Saltonstall—is probably the only man in congress who has broken his neck. He suffered the often-fatal injury in a fall from a horse many years ago.

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FAIRLAWN MOLASSES . . . No. 2 1/2 jar 30c
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SEEDLESS RAISINS . . . 15 oz. pkg. 15c
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Graham Crackers 1lb. pkg. 19c

Seventh Ward

Four Scouts Up For Second Class Review

Mahoning Boy Scout troop met on Thursday evening in Mahoning school. John Hall was in charge of opening and closing exercises.

Seven tests were passed. Six scouts received their tenderfoot badges. Ralph Frew, Frank Martino, Michael Augustine, Robert Perrotto, Elmer Mora and Charles Perrotto. Plans were made for participation in the paper salvage drive on Saturday throughout the city.

There will be a meeting of the scouts Board of Review at the senior high school Tuesday evening, March 27, at 7:30 o'clock. Mahoning Scouts Robert Kent, Donald Weiskopf, Fred Rainey and Dwight Moore are up for second class review.

Walter Martin, a former member of the local troop, was present. Dodge ball and boxing were the diversions of the evening.

GRAND AUXILIARY MEETS THURSDAY

In their lodge room at the Y. W. C. A., members of the Grand International Auxiliary to the Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers gathered on Thursday afternoon.

Plans were discussed regarding a social period to be given following the business session at the next meeting Thursday afternoon, April 12, in the Y. W. C. A. at 1:30 o'clock.

PVT. JAMES ASSID IN FRENCH HOSPITAL

Word was received on Thursday by Mrs. Clara Assid of W. Wabash avenue from her husband, Pvt. James Assid of the medical corps, that he is in a hospital in France, afflicted with "trench feet". He is making some improvement.

Pvt. Assid was previously wounded in the leg by machine-gun fire on November 17, and returned to the front lines on January 5. He was hospitalized again in February. He is the son of Mike Assid of Volant R. D. 3.

SENDS THANKS FOR RED CROSS CLOTHING

Joseph, ten-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Francis Sparano of 220

North Liberty street, has received a letter of thanks from a five-year-old English girl (assisted by an older person) for a pair of socks and other clothing sent by him through the Red Cross.

The little girl, Annie McClelland, is a cripple, confined to a hospital in Hull, England. She lost her leg when run over by a coal truck. She says she now has an artificial limb and can play a little with the other children.

CLOSE 'WHITE RABBIT' CONTEST ON MONDAY

On Monday, the "white rabbit" contest in the sales of war bonds and stamps will come to a close at Mahoning school.

Tuesday morning, all those pupils who purchased at least \$2 worth of stamps will be entitled to witness some moving pictures to be shown in the school auditorium.

Three "White Rabbits", Betty Jane Oddi, Terry Stone and Frank DeFelice of class 2-1 all dolled up, made the moving picture announcement this morning to each of the classes.

ATTENDS FUNERAL OF SOLDIER NEPHEW

Mrs. M. B. Jones of 406 North Cedar street has returned from Squire, W. Va., where she was called on account of the serious illness of her brother, T. H. Hardy, who is now much improved.

Mrs. Jones also attended the funeral of her nephew, Jesse H. Hardy of Tazewell, Va. The latter had been overseas 44 months and was wounded in Germany. He had been returned here and was confined to Veterans hospital, Thomasville, Ga. where he died.

PREPARATORY SERVICE

At the Mahoningtown Presbyterian church this evening there will be a preparatory service at 7:45 for communion on Sunday.

NOTICE

Opening of Dorothy's Beauty Shoppe, Machine and Machineless Permanents. Call 9210 for appointments. No answer call 2345-J. Adv 17

RECEIVES SOUVENIRS

Miss Mary Rotelli of 297 South Ashland avenue has received souvenirs and war trophies from her uncle, Cpl. Michael Sandora of the anti-aircraft service, stationed in Germany. They consist of a Nazi flag, two arm bands, handkerchiefs with flags of Allies and Axis, a Nazi Nazi naval pennant and Nazi money.

SEVENTH WARD PERSONALS

Mrs. R. E. Ricker and son Robert, Jr., have returned to Bainbridge, Md., after visiting with the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. McCann of 913 West Clayton street. John A. McCann, aviation machinist mate 2-c, has left for Oklahoma City, Okla., where he will be reassigned to duty. He has concluded 30 days leave with his wife, and his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. McCann of 913 West Clayton street. John recently returned from 12 months service in the Pacific.

HOSPITAL NOTES

JAMESON MEMORIAL HOSPITAL. Admitted—Mrs. Mary W. Wadsworth, Harrison street; Bradford Powell, New Brighton; Kathy Boyle, New Wilmington; Mrs. Martha Shaw, Adams street; Michael Sackin, Lutton street; Miss Belle Kyle, R. D. 7; Miss Fern Riley, East Washington street; tonsil operation. Discharged—Andrew Byers, Fairfield avenue; Mrs. Helen Wilkerson and daughter, Connellsville; Louis Smith, R. D. 1; Oliver McIntosh, R. D. 5; Joseph Gaydos, R. D. 3; Volant; Frank Bretholle, New Wilmington; Mrs. Bertha Parshall, Ellwood City; Mrs. Sarah Yano and son, Lowellville, O.; Mrs. Doc Cruchman, rear Laurel boulevard.

NEW CASTLE HOSPITAL

Admitted: Mrs. Helen Alden, 1034 North Cedar street; David Bruch, 407 Norwood avenue; Mrs. Sarah Shear, 1119 Seola street; Ignatio Manio, 304 East Home street; James Gaston, 203 North Ray street; Mrs. Florence Graebner, 1421 Liberty street; Franklin, Pa. Mrs. Rose Spanish, 450 Croton avenue; Mrs. Barbara Lynch, 811 Wilmington avenue; Mrs. Angeline Rossi, 706 Chestnut street. Discharged—Mrs. Lucy Peak and infant daughter, 224 South Liberty street; Mrs. Bessie Boy, 315 Tenth street, Ellwood City; Stephen Schuster, 807 Frank avenue; Stanley Sisko, 419 Electric street; Hazel E. Minner, R. D. 1; Mrs. Philomena Maiella and infant son, rear 307 Cascade street; Simon Blau, 237 Fairmont avenue; Mrs. Josephine DeRobbio and infant son, 514 Pearson street.

Eugene Frengel Is Home On Leave

Eugene Frengel, A. M. M. 3-c, son of Mr. and Mrs. James Frengel of Moravia road, is home on leave after two years of service in the Pacific theater, where he has seen extensive service against the Japs. He will report to the Pacific coast at the expiration of his leave to return to duty with his ship.

EDENBURG

W. S. C. S. MEETING

Women's Society Christian Service of the Methodist church, was entertained Wednesday evening at the home of Mrs. Ray Biddle. Devotionals were led by Mr. Charles Louden, Mrs. Roy Unangst, assisted by a group of the members, was in charge of the program, Mrs. B. E. Downs was appointed secretary for the remainder of the year. The April meeting will be in the church, with Mrs. George Nichols, Jr. and Mrs. Paul Roberts as hostesses.

EDENBURG NOTES

Mr. and Mrs. R. Shaffer, of New Castle, spent Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Gibson, of Edensburg-Hillsville road.

Sgt. and Mrs. M. J. Lease, of Madison, Wis., and the former's mother, Mrs. J. M. Lease, of Baden, Pa., were Sunday visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ray Biddle and Mr. and Mrs. Herman Schick, of the North Side.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Robinson, of Garrett, Ind., and Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Walker, of Akron, O., were recent guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. William Smith.

Mrs. Charles Louden and daughter, Rebecca, spent Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Thompson, of Sutersburg, O.

Henry I of England established a fortress at the French town of Verneuil, north of the Loire river, and made it a center of English power.

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25c WHITE PINE COUGH SYRUP

CUT TO 9c

1.50 HOT WATER BOTTLE

CUT TO 69c

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35c Atlas Shoe Shine Kit cut to 19c

25c Hand Scrubs cut to 13c

60c Rem Cough Syrup cut to 49c

60c Drene Shampoo cut to 49c

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Local Infantryman Sustains Third Wound In Germany; Recovering In English Hospital

Mr. and Mrs. A. Drapko of 107 East Sharp street have received word from their son, First Sgt. Joseph T. Douglewicz, that he was wounded in action in Germany on March 13 and is hospitalized in England.

Sgt. Douglewicz was serving with the infantry corps of the 78th Light Division of the Seventh Army. He has been in the armed forces for seven years and overseas since October, 1944.

He says he is getting along fine, and the nurses are taking good care of him. He was wounded in the left thigh.

Sgt. Douglewicz's wife and infant son live in Richmond, Va.

In Religious And Fraternal Circles

M. M. P. M. Missionary Society

Maitland Memorial P. M. church missionary society will have an open meeting at the church on Tuesday evening, March 27, at 7:30.

Miss Florence Brisbane, returned missionary from West Africa, will be the speaker.

Try The News Want Ads For Results

NUMBERS WRITERS GET HIGH FIGURES IN JUDGE'S FINES

PITTSBURGH, March 23.—(INS)—Six alleged numbers writers and operators today were pounding their adding machines, in talking the \$1400 in fines imposed by Judge Joseph Richardson at the Allegheny county criminal court.

Yesterday's trials brought forth a wide range of excuses for charges of participating in lotteries. One had a "bad back", another claimed he was a "heart case". Each of the six admittedly got a headache from shelling out the \$100-\$400 fines imposed.

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Former Resident Dies In Sharon

Mrs. Grace Simpson Preston, for many years a resident of New Castle, died in the Buhl hospital in Sharon Thursday morning, following a major operation.

Mrs. Preston was born in Neshannock township, the daughter of Sheddick and Hannah Curley Simpson. When in New Castle, she was employed at the old Shenango tin mill, and was active in the work of the Y.W.C.A. A talented musician, she sang for a number of years in the choir of the First Methodist church.

Surviving are her son, Thomas Preston of Sharon; a six-month-old grandson, Thomas Jr.; a sister, Isabel Caster of Washington, D. C. and three brothers, John Simpson of North Chili, N. Y., Robert Simpson of Alliquippa and Alfred H. Simpson of Winter avenue, New Castle. A daughter, Mary Belle, died in an automobile accident in 1936.

Funeral services will be held in the Sharpe funeral home, Sharon, on Sunday afternoon at 2:30, with Dr. R. R. Blews and Rev. Paul C. Millard in charge. Burial will be in Oakwood cemetery in Sharon.

A check-up showed that the two cars of the same model and same make had been parked on the same street.

AUTO MELT-UP SOON FINED

SHARON, Pa., March 23.—(INS)—Thomas Davis, of Sharon, today looked for a locksmith who could tell him why his key worked in another man's car.

Davis drove an automobile for an hour before he realized that it wasn't his own. He reported the incident to the police who found a perplexed William Morgan, also of Sharon, wondering where his car was.

A check-up showed that the two cars of the same model and same make had been parked on the same street.

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Dodds Refutes Statements In Council Session

During council meeting Thursday a communication from Ralph Cooper, counsel for County Controller Andrew Dodds was read in which he denied the assertion by Solicitor Robert White, in council Monday, that County Controller Andrew Dodds had made an "arbitrary division of tax monies on tax sale properties" or stating the amount each political sub-division shall receive.

Attorney Cooper stated that Mr. Dodds in making the distribution is bound by the Acts of May 1937 and May 1943. He wrote:

"These acts concerning tax sales are construed in what we deemed to be a well considered opinion in the Mahoning township vs. Hill case."

The county controller is also bound in making distribution of these monies by a recent Appellate court decision which holds that municipal liens are to be considered in making distribution under very limited circumstances, Attorney Cooper's letter said.

Relatives to City Solicitor White's statement concerning proceedings now pending in common pleas court here which will settle the question of distribution of monies received from the sale of properties by the county commissioners, counsel for Controller Dodds wrote: "It is respectfully suggested that the proceedings relate to distribution of rentals collected from properties now or previously held by the county commissioners as trustees."

Attorney Cooper recalled that some time ago when council, school-board and county representatives met a method of distribution of monies was agreed upon and schedules set up.

Must Audit And Analyze

A division made some time ago of monies received for the sale of 164 properties resulted in the city

receiving about \$21,000 and from the recent sale of 35 properties the city was allocated about \$3,500.

The schedule of distribution of monies received by the commissioners for the sale of properties to which the commissioners acquired title at tax sale is prepared on the basis of information on taxes collected and compiled by the county commissioners and Mr. Dodds, as controller, must audit and analyze these figures. It is for this reason the schedule when approved, is to be found in his office, Mr. Cooper stated.

Council referred the letter to Solicitor White.

It was indicated that the alleged differences are at an end and that it is likely that the city will accept the share from the recent sales as stated in Mr. Dodds' information to council.

PRINCETON

SUNDAY SERVICES

Presbyterian church—Rev. V. A. Schreiber, pastor. Morning worship, 10. Sunday school, 11. Mary Ramsey, supt.

ELECT S. S. OFFICERS

Election of officers of the Presbyterian Sunday school for the coming year took place Sunday. They are: superintendent, Mary Ramsey; assistant superintendent, Charles Merzhimer; secretary, Lois Boyd; treasurer, Mrs. C. Carvasious; pianist, Mrs. Mildred Munnell; and assistant pianist, Mrs. B. Prosser.

MISSIONARY SOCIETY

Members of the Missionary society of the Presbyterian church were entertained at an all day meeting Thursday at the home of Mrs. Paul Blair. A delicious luncheon was served at noon by the hostess. Quilting was the main diversion of the day.

Following devotionals, led by Mrs. F. R. Weisz, election of officers for the ensuing year took place. They follow: president, Mrs. F. R. Weisz; vice-president, Anna Boyd; secretary, Mrs. C. Carvasious; treasurer, Eva Shaffer; and secretary of missionary education, Mrs. V. A. Schreiber.

PRINCETON NOTES

Cpl. Charles Myers, who is stationed at Philadelphia, recently spent a three-day furlough with his wife and family and also his parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Myers.

Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Linton of Lovellville were Sunday callers at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Willard Shaffer.

Mr. and Mrs. Loyal Major of Beaver Falls were Sunday guests at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Major.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Cole and family of Neville Island were Sunday visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Boyd.

Mr. and Mrs. George Johnson and family of New Castle, Mrs. Verlee Graham of Harlansburg, Mr. and Mrs. Wendell Myers and son of Portersville and Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Jordan and family were weekend guests at the home of Mrs. Bernice Reno.

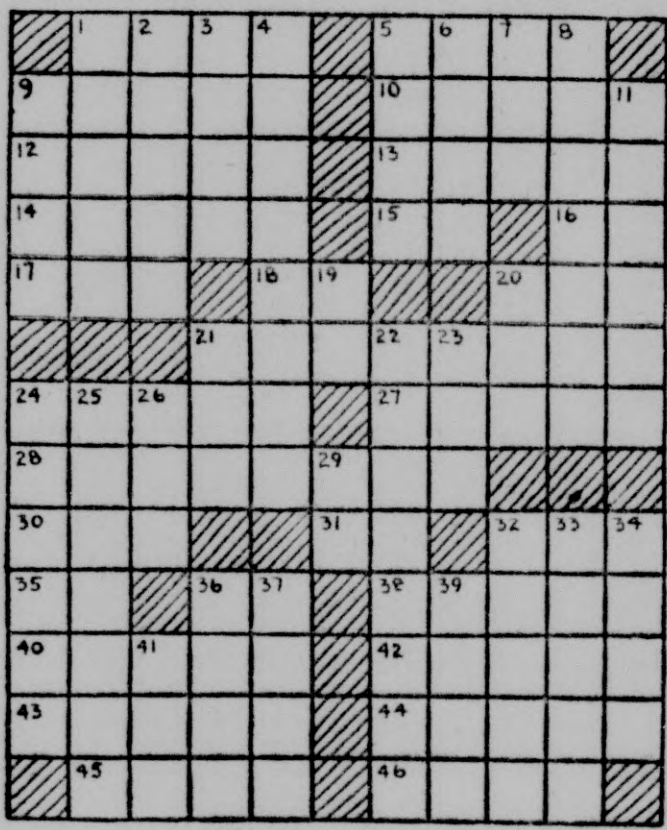
Eight languages and eighty-seven dialects are spoken in the Philippine islands. Approximately 27 per cent of the population knows some English.

DAILY CROSSWORD

- ACROSS**
1. Portions of curved lines
 5. Heroic
 9. Drivel
 10. Irritates
 12. Aloft
 13. Salute
 14. Having a dome
 15. Selenium (sym.)
 16. Pen-name G. W. Russell
 17. Abounding in ore
 18. Accomplish
 20. Eggs
 21. Spent the winter
 24. Tremulous
 27. Cupboard
 28. Animals that stung
 30. Kettle
 31. Hour (abbr.)
 32. Openings
 35. Fish
 36. Bond (abbr.)
 38. Head of an abbey
 40. Firearm
 42. Bird
 43. Southeast wind
 44. Voided escautheons
 45. Brand
 46. Headland
- DOWN**
1. Bower
 2. Spacious
 3. Shore recess
 4. Winter sport
 5. Incites (on)
 6. Peel
 7. Suffix in adjectives
 8. Butcher's instrument
 9. Part of a pedestal
 11. Fixed
 19. Ahead
 20. Sphere
 21. Skin tumor
 22. Salad herb
 23. Type measures
 24. Long for
 25. Enclosure for games, etc.
 26. Fasten
 29. Exclamation
 32. Coins (Gr.)
 33. Flowers
 34. The sweet-sop
 36. Obscure

YESTERDAY'S ANSWER

37. Writing table
39. Weary
41. Friar's title



ON THE AIR TONIGHT

WKST-1280; KDKA 1020; WCAE-1250; WJAS-1320

KDKA	WCAE	WJAS
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PLANT FATALITIES DROP LAST MONTH

HARRISBURG, March 23.—(INS)—Fatal accidents dipped 18.9 per cent in Pennsylvania industries during February while injuries declined only 3.8 per cent, the department of labor and industry announced today.

Secretary William H. Chenut reported 103 industrial fatalities and 10,107 other casualties last month as compared with 127 deaths and 10,504 injuries resulting from industrial mishaps in January. The decline was attributed to fewer working days.

Overcrowded conditions accounted for more than half of the casualties while a large percentage of injuries were caused by falling objects, careless manipulation of machinery and over-exertion, he added.

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Imported Style SWISS

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2 Lb. Loaf Cheese

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2 Dozen—Heinz

Baby Foods case \$1.67

Baby Food 2 Doz. \$1.67

Libby's (Doz. 90c)

Pure Cane

Sugar 25 lbs. \$1.47

Barry's Cakes

Home Spun lb. 37c

Real Hellmann's

Mayonnaise pt. 35c

Paper

Towels roll 10c

Nucoa

Oleo 2 lbs. 49c

Fancy Large

Shrimp can 41c

Van Camp's Chili

Con Carne jar 31c

Armour's

Tamales jar 23c

16-Oz. B-B

Juice 3 cans \$1.00

Sgt. Ben Tencer Wounded Twice

Local Infantryman Gets Oak Leaf Cluster For Injuries In Germany

Mrs. Elizabeth Tencer of County Line street was notified by the war department that her son, Sgt. S. Ben Tencer, has been wounded for the second time in Germany.

Sgt. Tencer is attached to the infantry of the third army and received his second wounds on February 26.

On January 20 he was wounded the first time, the injuries being head injuries. He was awarded the medal of the Purple Heart. Upon recovering, he left the hospital and resumed his duties on February 5, and was later wounded again, receiving the oak leaf cluster.

Sgt. Tencer has been in service since December 7, 1942, and overseas since July 1944. Prior to his induction he was employed at the Shenango Pottery company.

Committee To Ask For Permit For Pool

Mayor John F. Haven reported today the Mayor's Recreation committee proposes to request from the state sanitary bureau a permit for a pool for bathers in the Neshaunook creek between South Mill and East Washington street bridges.

Driver Receives Gift Of War Bond For Safety Record

In recognition of 26 years of service without an accident, Charles Zimmerman, truck driver for the local branch of Armour & Co. meat packers, has been awarded a \$100 war bond by the company.

This award is very seldom given, company officials state, and is especially significant now because of the need for conserving trucks and other equipment under present conditions.

Widely known in New Castle, Mr. Zimmerman has been with the company for 29 years altogether. He lives at 807 1/2 Croton avenue.

Pvt. Carl Bowen Arrives In States

Local Soldier, Wounded In Belgium On January 17, Returns To This Country For Treatment

Mrs. Gertrude Bowen of 245 West Grant street received a phone call from her husband, Pvt. Carl Bowen, from New York, stating that he had arrived in this country for further treatment of wounds which he received in action in Belgium.

Pvt. Bowen, who has only been in service since last June, went overseas in November and was serving with General Hodge's First Army.

Special Service Sunday For Deaf

Rev. H. Robe, pastor for the deaf, with headquarters in Pittsburgh, will conduct a service for the deaf of New Castle and vicinity at Christ Lutheran church, East Washington at Beckford street, on Sunday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock. There will be a reception for Rev. Robe at the church following the ceremony.

Operate Street Sweeper Tonight

James Gibson, director of streets, today announced the street sweeper would operate at midnight tonight and in the future, midnight every Thursday and Friday. Police have requested motorists to remove cars from the downtown paved sections before this hour on those two nights.

CASH & CARRY MARKET

106 WEST WASHINGTON ST. PHONE 2194

Wisconsin Brick Cheese	lb. 33c
Eggs, grade A mixed	doz. 35c
Gudahy's Puritan Lard	2 lbs. 35c
Elgin Oleomargarine	lb. 21c
Polish Style Sausage	lb. 35c

Government Inspected Beef

Meaty Brisket Boil	21c lb.	Sliced Beef Liver	29c lb.	Lean Rib Roast	29c lb.	Sirloin Beef Steaks	35c lb.
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Fresh Ham Hocks lb. 15c

Smoked Pig Feet 3 lbs. 25c

Cooked Pork Tripe lb. 10c

Fresh Pork Shoulders	29c lb.	Sliced Bacon Ends	23c lb.	Fresh Pork Sausage	35c lb.	Fresh Leaf Lard	18c lb.
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Jumbo Bologna lb. 27c

Sliced Pork Liver lb. 19c

Rath's Black Hawk Salami lb. 27c

Home Dressed Veal

Veal Legs	31c lb.	Veal Breast	19c lb.	Veal Chops	27c lb.	Veal Ramp	29c lb.
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4 Bars PURE IVORY 19c

IVORY SNOW

Large 23c Small 9c

Sunkist Juicy LEMONS 35c doz.

Yellow ONION SETS 21c lb.

Large Texas Seedless GRAPEFRUIT 4 for 25c

Yellow Onions 10-lb. bag 33c

Home Grown Potatoes . . 100-lb. bag \$2.49

Pascal Celery Hearts 19c lge.

Cooking or Eating APPLES \$1.75 bu.

Giant CELERY STALKS 23c beh.

IVORY SOAP

Medium, 3 for 19c Large, 3 for 29c

Omar Cake Flour 5-lb. box 19c

E. Z. Serve Veal Loaf 3 cans \$1.00

Quaker Farina 3 bxs. 25c

Kasco Dog Ration 5-lb. bag 45c

Jumbo Herring 3 for 29c

Seeded Raisins 2 lbs. 27c

Fancy Pastry Flour 5-lb. bag 25c

Chicken Noodle Soup 2 cans 29c

Dainiy Dell Milk 6 cans 57c

Seedless Raisins 2 lbs. 27c

Grapefruit Juice 12-Oz. Can 29c

Black Mission Figs 12-Oz. Box 15c

Nucoa Oleomargarine lb. 25c

Meadow Gold Salad Dressing . . qt. jar 39c

Durkee's Pure Vegetable Shortening . . 3 lbs. 68c

Fresh Breakfast Coffee 2 lbs. 47c

Uncle Sam Macaroni 6 bxs. 25c

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1/2 Pint Bottle 49c

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Tuesdays, Wednesdays and Thursdays
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CONTAINS NO COAL TAR

Pyramid Roof \$2.45

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Bulk

MIXED PEELS

lb. 49c

Fine for making Easter Eggs.

SHOP AT THE A & P SUPER MARKET

36 S. Mercer St.

Cooking

Onions . 10-lb. bag 33c

Potatoes 69c

Apples 49c

Grapefruit . 10 for 49c

Broccoli bch. 25c

Green Beans . lb. 20c

Large Heads

Cauliflower 39c

Green Peppers . lb. 21c

Radishes . 2 bchs. 15c

New Crop

Walnuts lb. 39c

Red Florida New

Potatoes . . . 5 lbs. 33c

Green

Onions bch. 10c

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CREAM PUFFS, CHOCOLATE ECLAIRS, CREAM SLICES, AND FRUIT SQUARES

HOT CROSS BUNS

MONDAYS, WEDNESDAYS and FRIDAYS

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Fels Naptha Soap bar 5c

Walnut or Clean Paper

Cleaner can 25c

Baby

Cleanser can 10c

Sage Sine Ivory Soap 3 bars 29c

1 Lb. 4 Oz. Can

Peas can 12c

1 Lb. 11 Oz. Jar Heinz Oven Baked Beans . jar 14c

Fresh Country Eggs doz. 39c

Fresh Ricotta lb. 3c

Good Luck Oleomargarine . lb. 25c

Skinless Wieners . . . lb. 33c

Italian Hard Salami lb. 59c

Tell Cans Carnation Milk 3 cans 29c

Volenda Salad

Oil gal. \$1.59

25 Lb. Sack Pure Cane Sugar sack \$1.49

Sugar 5 lbs. 25c

Coffee lb. 29c

 Crackers box 33c | Cheericals 2 bxs. 25c | Onions lb. 25c | Walnuts lb. 39c | Oranges doz. 29c | Pumpkin can 10c |

STORE OPEN UNTIL 9 EVERY EVENING

U. S. No. 1 Large
POTATOES
15-lb. peck 100-lb. bag
65c \$3.98

BANANAS lb. 12c
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NEW POTATOES 10 lbs. 69c
LARGE 200 SIZE
SUNKIST LEMONS doz. 29c
FANCY LARGE SIZE YELLOW SKIN
ONIONS 10-lb. bag 45c
U. S. NO. 1
PORTO RICAN YAMS, 3 lbs. 29c
FRESH CALIF.
CARROTS 3 bchs. 22c
FRESH TENDER
SPINACH lb. 10c
LARGE SIZE TEXAS PINK
GRAPEFRUIT 3 for 29c
LARGE BUNCH CALIFORNIA
PASCAL CELERY 25c
FRESH
GREEN PEPPERS lb. 29c
126 SIZE CALIFORNIA
SUNKIST ORANGES doz. 59c
FRESH
GREEN ONIONS 2 bchs. 17c
FRESH RED BUTTON
RADISHES 2 bchs. 15c
Freshly Trimmed, Solid
CABBAGE lb. 6c
SMALL DUTCH VALLEY
ONION SETS lb. 25c

JUICE ORANGES
Large 126 Size
Extra Special
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**Occident
FLOUR**
25-lb. bag
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**Chocolate
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SUGAR**
Pure Cane
25-lb. Bag **\$1.52**

**BREAKFAST
CHEER
COFFEE**
1-lb. jar. **32c**

California
**TOMATO
PASTE**
3 cans **25c**

Campbell's
Pork and Beans 3 cans 25c

Pure
Cane Sugar 5-lb. bag 35c

Big Dime
Washing Solution 3 qts. 25c

Large Jar Clumax
Wallpaper Cleaner 25c

125-Foot Roll
Wax Paper roll 19c

Tops
Dill Pickles qt. jar 29c

1 Lb. Pkgs. Pillsbury
Pancake Flour 2 pkgs. 23c

Dold's Party Leaf
Luncheon Meat 3 cans 97c

Sani-Sorb
Toilet Tissue 7 rolls 25c



EGGS
EXTRA LARGE
From Local Farms
38c Doz.

36-Oz. Java Dutch Girl
Apple Butter 2 for 39c

Heinz
Baked Beans jar 14c

Pet Wilson or Everyday
Milk 10 tall cans 89c

Stokely
Keichup lge. btl. 19c

Yolanda
Salad Oil gal. \$1.59

Sweetheart, Lifebuoy or
Camay 3 bars 20c

In Tomato Sauce—
Sardines 2 oval cans 29c

1 Lb. Boxes
Powdered Sugar 2 for 15c

Swaps Down
Cake Flour lge. box 25c

**JERZEE
MILK**
TALL CANS
10 for 84c

**Golden Dawn
PINEAPPLE**
Sliced or Crushed
No. 2
Can **23c**

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2-lb. Box **31c**

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102 WEST LONG AVE.—ON THE SOUTH SIDE

**Fresh Creamery
BUTTER**
Pound **50c**

Fancy Cut
CHUCK ROAST lb. 24c

Tender
RIB ROAST lb. 28c

Lean
PLATE BOIL 2 lbs. 33c

Fresh
GROUND BEEF 2 lbs. 49c

Sweet Sixteen
OLEO 2 lbs. 39c

Armour's Skinless
WIENERS lb. 31c

Spring
LEG O' LAMB lb. 37c

Hot Italian
LAMB SHOULDER lb. 35c

Country Style
SAUSAGE lb. 39c

Shoulder
PORK SAUSAGE lb. 39c

For Stuffing—
VEAL CHOPS lb. 25c

B. C.
VEAL ROAST lb. 23c

Pickled
SALAMI lb. 53c

PIGS' FEET 5 lbs. 25c

KARO BLUE SYRUP
5-lb. Jar **34c** 10-lb. Can **65c**

JELLO
All Flavors
Pkg. **8c**

**Measuring Cup
FREE with
SNO-SHEEN
Cake Flour**
Lge. Pkg. **25c**

Frank J. DePaolo Arrives On Leave

Young Sailor Takes Part In Important Battles In Southwest Pacific Area

Frank J. DePaolo, seaman first class, 19 year old son of Mr. and Mrs. Daniel A. DePaolo, of 805 South Jefferson street, arrived home on a 30-day leave following a year's service overseas.

S. I. C. DePaolo wears the American theatre of war ribbon and the Asiatic Pacific ribbon with five stars. He participated in the attack of the island of Mindanao. While at sea he also participated in sea action at Iwo Jima, Peleliu, Guam, Saipan, Tinian, Roto, Ryuky Island and Formosa.

At the conclusion of his leave, he will return to New England states to resume duties on a heavy cruiser.

ASKS OCD TO HELP PAPER SALVAGE

Frank T. Sargent today requested as many as possible of the OCD personnel to meet him at 11:45 a.m. Saturday at Croton avenue and South Mill street to assist in the paper salvage collection.

Try The News Want Ads For Results

J. S. Robinson Dies In Butler

Mrs. Harry E. Double, 223 East Sheridan avenue, has received word of the death of her father, James S. Robinson, aged 75 years, Thursday morning at 6:45 o'clock at his home, 240 Park street, Butler. Death was the result of a stroke, suffered Monday evening.

Mr. Robinson was foreman of the heat treating department at the Spunk company, Butler, having worked last Saturday. He had been employed by that company for the past 43 years and had been a resident of the Butler community during most of his life.

He was a member of the First U.P. church of Butler. Survivors include his widow, Mrs. Carrie Brandon Robinson; three daughters, Mrs. Marie R. Rhodes, Butler, Mrs. J. D. Bartmas, Butler, R. D. 5, and Mrs. Double; and ten grandchildren.

The body has been removed to the Thompson funeral home, North street at McKean, Butler, where funeral services will be conducted Saturday afternoon at 3:30 o'clock with his pastor, Rev. Robert H. French in charge.

Interment will follow at St. John's Reformed cemetery.

Friends are being received at the funeral home at any time.

Infantrymen To Play Here Saturday



INFANTRY CONCERT GROUP

Musical instruments instead of rifles will be handled by 18 soldiers in the Cathedral Saturday night when the Infantry Concert Group presents a concert program. The concert is sponsored by the war finance committee and the Metropolitan Concert Guild.

The group is made up of soldiers who in civilian life were members of the outstanding symphony orchestras of the United States.

Inducted into service they were banded together into what is said to be a musical organization of unusual merit.

Because of the limitations of the Cathedral auditorium, which seats over 2900, the tickets for the concert have been divided among the war and workers and the Metropolitan

Concert Guild. Guild members need present only their membership cards to be admitted. War bond workers will have tickets which are procurable through the war finance committee or treasury representatives in the local industries. Men and women in the military service will be admitted without tickets.

Pvt. F. Harkless Is Wounded Again

West Side Infantryman Wounded In Action In Germany; Mt. Jackson Hi Graduate

Mrs. Evelyn Brest of 904½ West Washington street has received word from the war department, Washington, D. C., that her son, Pvt. Francis Harkless, attached to the Infantry corps, was wounded in action in Germany on February 28.

Pvt. Harkless was previously wounded on August 25, 1944, in France. He has been awarded the Purple Heart decoration with character.

Pvt. Harkless has been in the service almost five years and overseas two and a half years.

He is a graduate of Mt. Jackson high school, class of May 1938.

Tuberculin Tests For 24,000 Cattle

HARRISBURG, March 23.—In continuing its efforts to maintain healthy livestock on Pennsylvania farms, the Bureau of Animal Industry, State Department of Agriculture, during February applied more than 24,000 tuberculin tests to cattle and 46 tests to milk goats throughout the state.

The testing disclosed only 118 cattle reactors. Not a single goat was found to have contracted the disease.

In Bang disease control work the bureau received reports on the testing of more than 2,500 herds con-

taining 40,826 cattle. Fewer than 1,400 cattle or approximately 3.3 per cent were found to be infected.

State indemnities paid in Bang disease control work during February totaled approximately \$44,000 and Federal payments were slightly more than \$36,000.

GRANGE NEWS

East New Castle Grange

East New Castle grange will meet Tuesday evening, March 27, with the following program scheduled: cattle judging, by Dale Currie; a demonstration, "Something About the Home", by the home economics committee, and Irish songs by Francis Currie.

Members will attend dressed as Irishmen.

East Brook Grange

East Brook grange will meet Monday evening at 8:15 at the hall. Promptly at 9:15 following business, a literary program will be presented which will feature a talk by David Jamieson on his trip to Washington, D. C. last month.

The film "Freedom Rides on Rubber", will also be shown.

BEST INVESTMENT

CARLSBAD, N. M.—(INS)—One public-spirited group in New Mexico knows when to sell and invest the money in war bonds for post-war building when costs are lower.

The Carlsbad Rodeo Assn., Inc., has announced disposal of all its physical holdings. All funds derived from sale of equipment and properties will remain in the corporation's control in war bonds pending revival of events after the war.

No Recess In War Production

PITTSBURGH, March 23.—(INS)—There will be no "recess" in American war production at the end of European hostilities, William F. Withers, president of Blaw-Knox, today promised the Army and Navy.

As chairman of a golden jubilee ceremony honoring 50-year member companies of the National Association of Manufacturers, Withers pledged that so far as American management was concerned there would be no interruption of the flow

of war material to the Pacific theater.

"By continuing our performance, the war with Japan will be over at the earliest possible moment," the former NAM president told representatives of nine western Pennsylvania and one West Virginia companies cited for their outstanding contributions to American industrial progress.

TO ATTEND MEETING

Earl Moffatt and Claire Book, representatives of the American Legion baseball team of this city will attend an American Legion District Baseball meeting tonight in Pittsburgh.

Pills For The Japs— No Medicine Needed

PULASKI, Va., Mar. 23.—(INS)—Bitter pills of the Japanese—wrapped neatly in cellophane packages—are being manufactured by the millions at the New River Ordnance plant operated at Pulaski by Hercules Powder company of Wilmington, Del. The "pills" which actually are trench mortar powder, are packaged practically the same way as medicine pills—in fact, the equipment was adapted from that used to insert pills in cellophane strips sold in drug stores.

Easter Hat News!

A song in your heart starts with a new Easter Hat. Come, see our wonderful, spirit-lifting collection, at prices calculated to coddle your budget! Fresh Straws, Gay Fabrics... delightful flower hats. Find your hat here, from our new season charmers.

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For the young and merry of heart colorful Cloches, Sailors, Bonnets, Flower Tops, Straws and Fabrics.

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BUY WAR BONDS

Banquet Honors Union Athletes Thursday Night

Over 300 Gather In School
Gym For Annual Event,
Dr. A. L. Hoffmaster
Speaks

Union High has turned in another very creditable performance, this time in the annual athletic recognition dinner at which over 300 were in attendance Thursday night in the school gym. The dinner one of the finest of its kind ever held in the school went off without a hitch, the food was excellent, the speakers were eloquent and the entire evening was a 100 per cent achievement.

It was a merry throng of students, parents, teachers and a few invited guests that sat down to the well-laden festive tables at 6:30 o'clock and partook of a meal of meat loaf, mashed potatoes, baked corn, and all the other side-dishes that make up a meal of this type and then ice cream and cake. The food was cooked and served by the ladies of the Union Township P.T.A., another crowning event in their many efforts.

Dr. A. L. Hoffmaster Speaks
The evening started with pep singing led by the very lovely and talented young ladies—Miss Donna Park and Miss Elizabeth Cooper. The invocation was offered by W. G. McCune.

Milton A. Pattison, supervising principal of the Union Township schools, was the first speaker and after a few well chosen remarks in which he brought out a witty side, he then introduced Howard Cox, as the toastmaster of the occasion. Mr. Cox filled the role very well, leading into his introductions with a bit of humor.

Dr. A. L. Hoffmaster of New Castle, former Union High student and star track man, was the first speaker and after reminiscing about Union High back in 1924-25, delivered a very enlightening talk on military training as will benefit United States after the present war.

Coaches Make Awards
Next on the program was head football and basketball coach, W. T. "Pat" Patterson, who spoke very briefly then presented the boys with their awards. On behalf of the boys on the athletic teams Coach Patterson was given a gift of fishing equipment.

Joe Thompson, coach of the Union High Junior Varsity in basketball, was the next speaker and after a few remarks made awards, then received a pocketbook from the boys as a gift.

Next to speak was Miss Angelina Venditto, coach of the girls and boys cheerleaders who gave a short but well directed speech, then made awards to the youngsters who did a fine cheerleading job. Miss Venditto also introduced her assistant, Miss Dorothy Wadlinger. Both Miss Venditto and Miss Wadlinger received gifts of gloves from the boys and girls.

Last to speak was Clayton Hoffmeister, faculty manager, who when he got through thanking everyone for their support the past year, gave out awards to the student managers and his secretaries. Mr. Hoffmeister (Continued on Next Page)

NEW CASTLE NEWS SPORTS

Mrs. Dorothy Hurd, Pirate Regulars Noted Woman Golfer, Killed Under Train

NEW YORK, March 23.—(INS)—Mrs. Dorothy Campbell Hurd, 60, one of the all-time greats in the women's golf world, was killed Tuesday in South Carolina when she fell in the path of a northbound passenger train en route to New York. Friends here learned Thursday.

Mrs. Hurd, who had been visiting friends at Yemassee, Hampton county, S. C., for the past six weeks, had purchased her ticket, checked her baggage and was walking along the station platform when she fell in front of the incoming train, police reported.

In a quarter century of golfing the Scottish-born sportswoman won more championships than any other woman golfer in history. She was the only woman to hold both the U. S. and British woman championships, and won the national title 11 times.

Ex-Penn State Star Prisoner

STATE COLLEGE, Pa., March 23.—Staff Sgt. Johnny Potokian, described by Penn State Coach Bob Higgins as one of the best ends he ever coached, was wounded when his B-24 plane was knocked down over Belgium last October. In a card to the Lion mentor he says he is acting as interpreter for a Russian doctor in a German prison hospital.

"I ran into some tough luck," Potokian, a gunner, writes, "and sustained shoulder wounds plus a broken arm."

Potokian hails from Hiller, near Brownsville.

Ohio State Will Play New York U.

NEW YORK, March 23.—(INS)—Ohio State and New York university squared off today for the final battle in the Eastern Regional NCAA Basketball tournament. They are scheduled to play for the crown tomorrow night in Madison Square Garden.

Ohio State earned a shot at the championship by defeating Kentucky 45 to 37 last night in a rough session marked by 39 fouls. In the companion game, N.Y.U. beat Tufts 59 to 44.

Junior League Games Saturday
Six more games are billed in the Junior church basketball league at the "Y" for Saturday. The games are as follows: Third U. P. vs. Highland U. P. First Baptist vs. First Presby's. St. George vs. Epworth. First Christian's vs. First U. P. Trinity vs. Central Presby's. Croton Methodist vs. Second U. P.

Pirate Regulars Defeat Yanigans

Jimmy Russell Stars At Plate With
Four Hits; Hank Camelli
To Report

MUNCIE, Indiana, March 23.—(INS)—Bill Benswanger, president of the Pittsburgh Pirates, today was looking forward to the addition of Catcher Hank Camelli to his Buc team at their Muncie spring training camp.

Camelli, who has been working in a war industry near his home in Milford, Mass., notified the Pirate proxy that he will report to camp in a few days.

In yesterday's squad game, called after eight innings because of the crisis Indiana air, the Pirate regulars slammed out a 6-4 win over the Yanigans. The Pirates' home-state out-fielder, Jimmy Russell, of Fayette City, starred at the plate with four hits which included a triple and a double.

Favor Lee Omo Over Mauriello In Garden Bout

Oma Won Decision In Last
Meeting, Both Boys Have
Chance For Real
Money

OMA HOLDS WIN
OVER JOE BAKSI

By LAWTON CARVER
(International News Service Sports Editor)
NEW YORK, March 23.—That prize-fighting is the goose which laid the golden egg is expected to be proved again tonight at Madison Square Garden where Lee Omo and Tami Mauriello will meet for the third time. Good hard cash is expected to trickle into the tills to the tune of about \$95,000, and it may go on up to the century mark.

Omo and Mauriello can just about clinch another meeting for a lucrative fourth gate if they put on the kind of fight the customers are paying all that money to witness. Any timidity on their part will be another blow aimed at killing this old honker which survived several severe swipes of late and come right on back with another nest full of gold, or the equivalent thereof.

Oma Is Favorite
They are booked for 10 rounds, with Oma the 2 to 1 favorite by virtue of his decision over Mauriello in their last meeting and a subsequent win over Joe Baksi clash between these heavies, last September. Mauriello caught Oma out of shape and stopped him in eight rounds. Since then Oma, a reformed trial horse, has got wise to the quite obvious fact that beating heavyweights these days is a cinch, and he proved it in his second Mauriello bout and in the thumping he gave Baksi.

Mauriello, according to all available reports, has trained for this one, too. If that be so the most unique thing about the fight is that both men are in good condition. That seems like almost too much to ask.

Have Incentive
They have all the incentive a man may need to do some training and put on an earnest and honest fight, win or lose. There is no heavyweight championship challenger in the immediate offing, but the pay is increasingly good for these two young men against each other.

For their first fight, last September, the gate receipts totalled a picaresque \$24,280. For their encore in December the turnstiles clicked out a merry \$63,266, and now this one will soar up to \$100,000, or a little less. If they put this one over in keeping with the fondest anticipations of the customers there is no telling what they could do with a fourth match at increased tariff. The top price tonight is \$12 per head.

The proper name for the salad made of sliced or chopped cabbage is "coleslaw" not "coldslaw." Cole is an old name for cabbage and plants belonging to the same genus.

Washington Hi Honors Champs

Basketball Awards, To
Champions, Made At Din-
ner At Washington
High Thursday

Thursday was basketball recognition day at George Washington Junior High and the floor stars together with the cheerleaders gathered in the Tea room of the cafeteria and enjoyed a fine dinner.

Coach Art Alexander following the serving of the dinner, took charge of the program and after making a few complimentary remarks, to the Junior High floor champions, gave out letters to ten members of the varsity squad. Alexander thanked the young athletes for bringing the school the second major championship of the year—football then basketball.

Five Floor Record

B. K. Thacker, retiring principal of George Washington made a few remarks when called on, and said that he was glad to be retiring with two major championships won by the boys the past year. Miss Marian Westlake, supervisor of the girls and boys cheerleaders said a few words then made her awards to the youngsters who turned in a swell job this year.

Washington had a very fine floor record, winning 16 and losing but 5. The North Hillers scored 711 points to 508 for the opponents. Individual scoring was won by Don Spears with 241 points, followed by Don Black with 131, Gene Gribble with 121, and Dick Clark 118.

The following boys were given letters—Don Spears, Don Black, Gene Gribble, Dave Kelleher, Richard Clark, Charles Cobati, Arnold Lewis, Dick McClurg, Dick Sampson and Ed Allison. Student managers—Jack Triplett and Ed Davies. Cheerleaders given awards were—Norma Black, Jane Urban, Audrey Blank, Roy Morrow, Box Cox, Ned Vidal and Bob Southern.

Hershey Bears Top Indianapolis

HERSHEY, Pa., March 23.—(INS)—The Hershey Bears looked forward today to sweeping the best-of-seven series for semi-final honors in the American Hockey League after capturing the second game from Indianapolis, 3-2 before 4290 spectators in the Sports arena.

The Bears took a lead in the initial period last night with Hal Cooper and Jim Drummond ringing the bell while Fido Purpur scored for the Caps.

In the middle canto, Drummond whipped the winning tally into the nets and Dick Kowinack angled the Caps second goal home. The last period was scoreless.

The two clubs will meet again in the arena Saturday night.

Cognac And Perfume Arrive From France; First In Four Years

NEW YORK, March 23.—(INS)—A shipment of cognac and perfume over-looked by the Germans as it lay in a Marseilles warehouse in 1940, was being unloaded today from a French line vessel—the first such shipment to arrive in the U. S. from France in four and a half years.

Six thousand cases of Hennessy brandy and 2,500 cases of Martell, consigned to New York firms, were carted off to warehouses. The liquor probably won't reach consumers for three months—for it will take that long to pass through customs, OPA pricing machinery and distribution to retailers.

Only one case of perfume arrived. The firm to which it was consigned says it has orders on hand from 7,000 retailers throughout the nation clamoring for French perfume.

Goat meat may not look so good, but to rationed Londoners it may taste mighty fine. Anyway London residents will soon be sampling it. A trial shipment is being sent from New Zealand.

Wounded May Fish At Bessemer

Bessemer Rod And Gun Club Closes
Membership For Duration;
Rename Officers

Bessemer Rod and Gun club last night in Bessemer re-named 1944 officers to serve during 1945, adopted a rule that membership for the duration of the war would be restricted to residents within a five miles radius but decided to allow convalescent service men to fish the club's lake at the ratio of 10 a day for two days each week—which will be hearty news to soldiers at Deshon Hospital annex.

The officers held over are President L. E. Tennis, Treasurer Wilburn Stanley and Secretary James W. Martin.

Gundar Hagg In Cleveland Arena

CLEVELAND, March 23.—(INS)—If everything goes as expected, the "Smorgasbord Special," formally known as Gundar Hagg, the world's top distance runner, will win the first victory of his current American tour tonight in the fifth annual Knights of Columbus games in the Cleveland arena.

The New York A. C.'s Jimmy Rafferty, who broke the tape in each of the three races in which Hagg has appeared, won't be competing. He reportedly was forced to cancel his appearance because of business.

POTTERS-GERSONS BATTLE TONIGHT

Championship Shenango Pottery To
Play Pick Of County, Old
Timers To Play

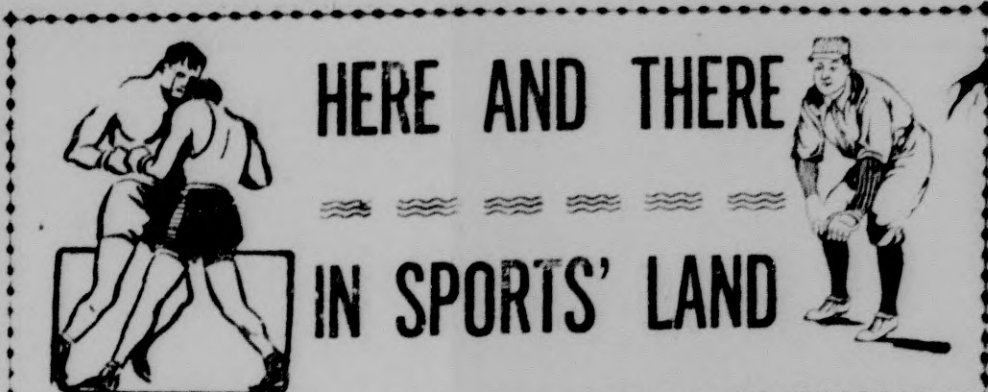
Two more basketball games will be played at the "Y" tonight, it was announced by Dario Baptiste. In the first game at 7:30 o'clock the Old Timers will tangle with the Youngsters. At 8:15 o'clock the championship Shenango Pottery team will play the Gerson Jewellers, the pick of the entire county.

The County All-Stars who will be known as the Gersons in the Sharon Buhl tourney, will be coached by Eddie Nahas, of Shenango High, and will have in the lineup: Jim Greenen, Guy Bennett and Joe Scala of the Wampum Indians, Pete Stack, Al Koszela and Ray Owoe of New Castle High, Charles Tanner of Shenango, Ben Korab of Union, and Bob Gifford, Bill Eakin and Dick Beynon of the "Y" House league. The Pottery will have its hands full with this quintet.

The Old Timers will have in the lineup: Paul Cuba, Mike Duffley, John Dudo, Paul Bobilin, Nickie Ross and Emil Haeenstab. The Youngsters will have Ralph Stokes, Carlson, Dusty Rhodes, Lucky Ward and Jim Pears.

Favor Terranova In Detroit Bout

DETROIT, March 23.—(INS)—Phil Terranova, Bronx featherweight, ruled a 7-5 favorite to turn back the challenge of 20-year-old Leroy Willis, Detroit Negro, when they meet in the ten round Olympia headliner tonight.



**HERE AND THERE
IN SPORTS' LAND**
SIX former New Castle athletes have given their lives for our country, the latest having been Joseph Calazza, 21, son of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Calazza, of Friendship street. He was killed in action in Germany, March 6. Several years ago he played on both football and basketball varsities. Others who made the supreme sacrifice are: Attilio Castrucci, Wilbur Phillips and Phil Sargent, while John Offutt and Clarence Cunningham lost their lives in plane crashes in this country. Local fans will also recall Bobby Glass of Massillon's football team. He played fullback in 1935-36. He participated in the first game here between Massillon and New Castle. He was killed with the Marines invading Iwo Jima. Before going into the Marines he played the backfield for Tulane.

News has trickled about that the guardians of law and order and guardians of property against flames, recently engaged in a sub-rosa bowling match here. The contest was precipitated because of a challenge fired by the hose-drawers who asserted they were the most proficient at tumbling maples. However, when the said contest was concluded the challengers, or firemen, were much discomfited. It was claimed their "champion" was in the "gutter" during most of the match and his score was a stupendous 25. His ally, according to our informant (whose identity must be cloaked with secrecy because of fear) is that he could not get his arm across his abdomen and he had to let loose of the ball before he could take accurate aim. The guardians of law and order, police, to you and I, presented their strongest line-up. Because of the heat that followed the firemen's debacle, a flaming new challenge has been squirted at the police.

John Gibbons, ex-coal digger, ex-state cop and now a Pennsylvania Power company guardian of property hands us a clipping which reports that Pfc. Attilio N. Gastallani, Jr., 18, Luzerne, Pa., (Gibbons' home town) is the senior middleweight champion boxer of the Third Marine Division. He won the title when he beat Corp. Wilbur Pinegar, 20, Des Moines, Ia. . . . Red Rochrane, who took the welterweight title from Fritz Zivic prior to Red's entrance into navy life, has been matched to box Sugar Robinson in Chicago in June. . . . Red has been discharged from the navy. . . . Red Patterson, new publicity director of the National League, is a puppy fancier, and former dog race fancier.

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By JAMES H. SMITH
(International News Service Sports Writer)

HARRISBURG, March 23.—Get your equipment ready. Izaak Walton, there will be an abundance of trout in Pennsylvania's streams this season if old mother nature gives the fish commission an opportunity.

The war time shortage of fish stocking equipment coupled with rural roads axle-deep with spring-time mud may work together to hamper the commission's program for freeing trout in streams.

Commissioner C. A. French reported today that approximately 1,500,000 legal size trout were expected to be placed in waterways before the season begins April 15 in addition to the 342,000 fish stocked in streams last fall.

The 1945 season will continue through July 31 with anglers permitted daily catches of 10 "salmonidae," the latin name for trout.

"In some northern tier counties snow is still on the ground and when it melts, some of the roads will become muddy and it will be difficult for our trucks to reach the streams," French said. "But we expect to get the majority of the stocking done by April 15."

Need Equipment
French expressed concern over the loss of 16 refrigerator trucks used to transport fish from the state's four hatcheries to streams.

The commission, however, has 26 other vehicles which can be used for the operation.

More than 2,477,000 fingerlings, trout smaller than five inches in length, were distributed throughout Pennsylvania streams last year and a "large number" of these fish will be of legal size this year, French explained.

The commonwealth maintains hatcheries at Bellefonte in Centre county, Huntzdale in Cumberland county, Reynoldsdale in Bedford county, and Cory in Erie county.

Keystone state service men and out-of-state veterans will be permitted to fish in commonwealth streams this year without paying license fees.

Pennsylvania service personnel were exempted from purchasing licenses by the General Assembly in 1943 while non-resident servicemen were granted the same rights under a bill signed Wednesday by Gov. Edward Martin.

BANQUET HONORS UNION ATHLETES THURSDAY NIGHT

(Continued From Preceding Page)

was then presented with a set of fishing tackle by the students.

Austin Cowmeadow, head football and basketball coach at Ben Franklin High school was introduced and spoke briefly. Charles P. "Bugs" Walther, News assistant sports editor, acknowledged an introduction.

Awards To 48
The following boys, members of the football team, basketball team, student managers and cheerleaders received awards—James Book, Conway Brown, Philip Clark, John Cole, Edmund List, Lawrence Rotunno, Robert Shaughnessy, Kenneth Hanna, for football alone; Bernard Korab, Elmer Bigley, Louis Kreuger and Robert Betts for football and basketball; Thomas Bees, Robert Pinkerton and William Cox senior managers of football and basketball; Dean Wallace, James Broad, and Robert Crichtlow underclassmen, football and basketball managers; James Bigley, William Zelina, Richard Wallace, Charles Cook and Louis Rotunno, first year lettermen in football; James Smith, second year letterman in football and basketball; Ray Conit, Lawrence Rotunno, and Edward Taylor, first year lettermen in basketball; James Bigley, Gayle Kerr, Louis Rotunno, Frank Jaworski and Edward Cartwright, Junior Varsity basketball; Robert Vaughn, Jesse Jones, Harry Stult, Thomas Vigne, Walter Bistoga, Thomas Pagley, and Paul Roberts, honorable mention certificates in football; Robert Cooper senior cheerleader, and Kenneth Kachenko, under-classmen cheerleader.

The following girls were given awards: Jayne Thellman and Mary Lou Smith, senior cheerleaders; Audrey Hammers, Irene Dubrasky, and Angeline Williams, under-classmen cheerleaders; Nancy Spellick and Clara Zombek, athletic secretaries football and basketball.

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Himmler's Guards Prevent Desertions

NEW YORK, March 23.—(INS)—Heinrich Himmler's SS Elite Guard troops are guarding the exists from the besieged East Prussian capital of Koenigsberg with machine guns to prevent desertions among the garrison, a Russian front dispatch declared today.

The front report, broadcast by Moscow radio and monitored by the FCC, said that "stragglers and men caught away from their units have been ordered executed and every day the firing squads are busy."

German soldiers taken prisoners by the "thousands" said starvation

was rife in the city, with every male from 16 to 65 mobilized for defense, the dispatch declared.

S-Sgt. R. A. Myers Wins Bronze Star

(Special To The News)
WITH THE SEVENTH ARMY CORPS, Germany—Staff Sgt. Robert A. Myers, 410 Park Avenue, New Castle, Pa., was decorated with the Bronze Star Medal by Major General J. Lawton Collins, commanding general of the Seventh Army Corps, First U.S. Army, during a ceremony somewhere in Germany.

S-Sgt. Myers received his medal for his outstanding work with a chemical mortar battalion of the VIII Corps.

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GUS'
Men's and Boys' Sportswear

Fair Or Foul

By LAWTON CARVER
(International News Service Sports Editor)

NEW YORK, March 23.—In the midst of all the jubilation among baseball people over the Washington ruling that players may quit war plants and return to the diamond without penalty, Brother Branch Rickey of the Brooklyn Dodgers comes up with a sour note.

He seems to be among those baseball people who insist that the game should be given some special place in the war scheme, something like deferring all ball players just so baseball can go on.

When told of yesterday's action by the War Manpower Commission which thus has given baseball an edge denied to some other sports, Brother Branch said:

Rickey Moaning
"Of course this edict helps, but it helps only those players who are in 4-F. If players hold deferments for war jobs and would otherwise be in 1-A, then they still would be placed in 1-A if they quit their jobs to play baseball."

In other words, Brother Branch seems to be moaning over the fact that a 1-A ball player isn't automatically deferred to play baseball. He seems to be quietly indignant to think that able-bodied, healthy ball players might be asked to fight for

their country or at least work in a war plant.

What I think should be done immediately is to call off the war until after the baseball season. This would enable all the ball players to get back in baseball, and after that they could go back into defense plants or into the war and all the club-owners would be very happy about the whole thing.

When you come to think of it, the government has some nerve interfering with the baseball season in any way just because there is a war on. Baseball should move in on Washington and give the officials down there a good piece of its mind.

Are Over-Doing It
The draft boards are overdoing it when they insist that able-bodied ball players shoulder muskets like any other citizens. Ball players, by some divine right, should be set aside and not be expected to work in defense plants—except during the winter when they can't make money playing baseball—and if a few must be inducted into the armed forces they should be permitted to spend all their time at Great Lakes or Honolulu playing baseball.

Asking Too Much
And play ball mind you! Not stay home and work in a defense plant—that would be asking too much during the baseball season! And in the boxing racket, let's give guys like Joe Louis and Billy Conn special assignments and let the rift raff composed of lesser champions and challengers fight the war.

Getting back to racing, let's put that out of business entirely. Let's kill off all the horses, tear down the tracks and brand everybody in the business as a slacker if he isn't in a war plant or in the armed forces.

But don't touch baseball!

The Chinese musical instruments are drums, cymbals, horns, lutes, castanets and flutes. There are three varieties of bells—po-chung, te-chung and pien-chung.

The American Indian maid used the crimson juice of a blood root stalk for rouge.

LITTLE ORPHAN ANNIE

BY HAROLD GRAY

WHERE ON EARTH DO YOU S'POSE MELVIN WENT? SHE SAYS SHE FIGGERS HE JUST WENT VISITIN'—MAYBE! BUT WHERE? AND WHY?

HE WAS SITTIN' PRETTY HERE—ANYWAY, I'D HAVE SAID HE WAS TOO LAZY TO GO AWAY—BUT HE'S GONE! AND NO WORD FROM HIM!

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- LOST—White and tan fox hound, male. Harry Parker, East Palestine, Ohio, on collar. Call Ellwood, 1954 or 1275-30. Reward. 812-1
- LOST—Thursday evening on East 81st, small white dog with one brown eye. Answers to "Bo". Call 7449-R. Reward. 812-1
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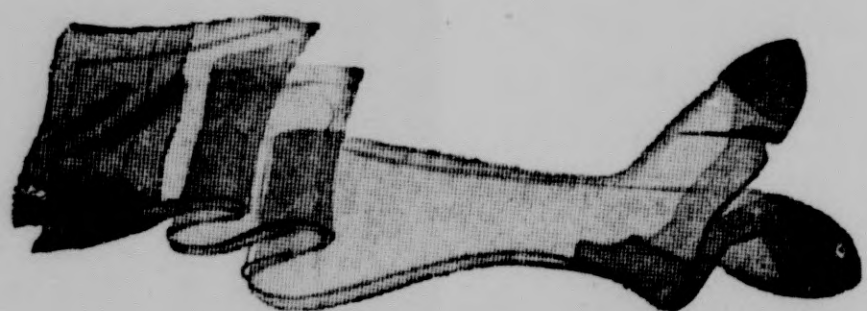


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